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LEGISLATORS MAY FACE FIRE OF GUARDSMEN

Call Issued To Able Bodied Men Between 21 And 45

Drastic Orders Issued By Oklahoma Ruler

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 25.—Governor Walton's opposition to the scheduled meeting of some members of the House of Representatives at the Capitol Wednesday noon was before the State and National in concrete form today following the issuance of a military order to the adjutant general regarding the proposed meeting last night.

Force limited only by the military resources of the State will be used in preventing the scheduled meeting of the Legislature in extraordinary session here Wednesday noon, according to military orders issued to Adjutant General Baird Markham by Governor Jack Walton.

All able bodied male citizens of the State between the ages of 21 and 45, were ordered to hold themselves in readiness with whatever arms they possessed or could secure to come to the assistance of the State, either at the call of the Governor or the adjutant general, according to the Governor's order.

"I am determined to stop this meeting of prejudiced members of the House of Representatives, admittedly Klansmen. The troops will be ordered to shoot to kill if that is necessary to prevent the assembly. I hope, however, that no such measures will be necessary," Walton declared.

In addition to being barred from assembling in the legislative halls at the Capitol, members at any other place in the State during the existence of statewide martial law will be under

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GET WEDNESDAY'S BIG STORY IN THE MEXIA DAILY NEWS

Wednesday's big feature story throughout the United States, emanating from Oklahoma City, will make its first appearance in Mexia in The Mexia Daily News on the date of happening. It will be 15 hours ahead of its nearest competitor.

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Boy Kept in Irons by His Father.

Harold Loomis

The Loomis family of Chicago, considered that it was necessary to chain up little Harold, 13, to make him "be good." They shackled him as shown, in a cellar coal pile. "Sometimes papa beat me with a strap," said Harold. Unresentful, penitent, his spirit broken, he was rescued by police. According to the Juvenile Court officials, Harold is not a bad boy.

To Have Racing At Seguin Fair

SEGUIN, Texas, Sept. 25.—Close to 100 running and harness horses are scheduled to compete for liberal purses in the Guadalupe county fair which opens here today to continue thru the 29th.

The five day racing card of the fair will exceed any other racing even held in this section this year.

Farm exhibits, automobile shows, and scores of other interesting exhibits will comprise the fair.

Twenty five carloads of carnival attractions will make up the "midway" of the exposition.

C. Jennings of Waco was in Mexia Monday on business.

J. T. Bracey of Corsicana was in the city Monday.

Legislators Now Gather In Oklahoma City And Say They Will Meet

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 25.—Legislators continued to assemble despite the state-wide order of the governor calling for all able bodied men between the ages of 21 and 45 to hold themselves in readiness to repulse any attempt of the legislators to meet at the capitol. Spokesmen for the legislators declared they would not be intimidated.

The trial of Grand Dragon Jewett was continued for two weeks on request of Jewett's attorneys.

House members plan to hold a caucus tonight and ask for funds to carry on the fight and complete details for the meeting.

Temporary Injunction at San Antonio

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 25.—A temporary injunction, reported granted by Federal Judge West of San Antonio, served on local Klan officials, seeks to restrain the local Klan from conferring further degrees in the Knights of Cemelias.

Guardsmen Tear Down Klan Cross On Sapulpa Hill

SAPULPA, Okla., Sept. 25.—Governor Walton's soldiers invaded Sapulpa last night and took down the Ku Klux Klan cross which has been standing on a hill overlooking the city.

Despite the fact that Governor Walton ordered all Klan crosses removed, the emblem has stood blazing forth on the hill every night since the orders went into effect.

An unsuccessful attempt was made last Wednesday night to remove the cross by placing acharge of dynamite at its base. This, however, did little damage, breaking a few light bulbs and weakening the base.

After the appearance here of a militia captain late yesterday afternoon, the general rumor was that the cross would be taken down. Shortly after 9 o'clock last night a truck carrying about fifteen soldiers drove into town. After driving around for a short time, they stopped at a local hotel and asked the way to get to the cross. After being informed as to the direction, they immediately set out for the hill. They were gone about 15 minutes, and then the lights on the cross were seen to go out. No other movements were seen on the hill.

Motion To Dismiss Charge of Murder Fails Of Approval

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Sept. 25.—A motion for the dismissal of the first degree murder charge against Walter S. Ward, alleged slayer of Clarence Peters, was denied by Justice Robert F. Wagner. The motion was made when the state rested its case shortly after court convened.

MRS. W. E. D. STOKES ACCUSES TWENTY.

W. E. D. Stokes and Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes

The prolonged and bitter divorce litigation between W. E. D. Stokes, New York multi-millionaire hotel hotel owner and sportsman, who a few years ago was the victim of the "shooting show girls," and his wife, a former Denver (Colo.) belle, reached a climax when Mrs. Stokes asked State's Attorney Crowe, of Chicago, for the indictment of a score of persons. She charges they have furnished her husband with false affidavits that she was the "Helen Norcross" who, twelve years ago, was an inmate of the notorious Everleigh Club, of Chicago. She asks prosecution for perjury and conspiracy. Minnie Everleigh, in Paris, has sworn that Mrs. Stokes was not "Helen Norcross." In his original divorce suit, Stokes named his own son as a co-respondent, but later withdrew the allegation. Mrs. Stokes is his second wife. She was completely exonerated in the original suit, but the trial judge died before the papers were signed, and the case must be tried again.

Bulgarians Recruit 10,000 Able Bodied Men To Stop Revolt

ATHENS, Sept. 25.—The Bulgarian Government is recruiting 10,000 militiamen to aid in quelling the agrarian-communist rebellion, messages from Sofia said today.

Despite the severe censorship which prevails in Sofia advices indicated the situation of the Zankoff government is endangered.

Miss Ruth Patton and Miss Janie Berry left Tuesday for Georgetown where Miss Berry will attend Southwesterh University and Miss Patton after attending the opening of school will return Sunday where she will take up her position as teacher at Prairie Hill.

Baby Sex Problem Is Near Solution

BERLIN.—(By mail to United Press.)—The age-old problem of determining beyond peradventure in advance the sex of a baby is near solution.

While the "stetoscope method", recently reported, is almost infallible, it sometimes reports a girl instead of a boy and vice versa. Hence, German medical experts are now occupying themselves with achieving a system biologically perfect.

Dr. Ernst Graefenberg, Berlin's foremost gynecologist, revealed to the United Press details of a new "serum", akin in its application to the famous "Tuberculin" test, which he believes will make it possible to tell months in advance of births when the offspring will be male or female.

Graefenberg's serum is developed from certain glanduler secretions of the male and female. If the male serum is applied and fails to react, the chances are that the forthcoming baby is female; but then the female serum is applied and gives a definite reaction, it proves the sex of the baby. This process is reversed to determine a boy baby.

Human Chain Saves Drowning Men

DENTON, Sept. 25.—Presence of mind on the part of W. E. Mann, saved himself from drowning while swimming here recently.

Mann, with a number of others, was swimming when he suddenly exhausted himself in the middle of the lake. He called for help and M. W. Deavenport swam to his assistance. Deavenport was nearly exhausted when he grabbed Mann's clothing and held him above water. Mann, with remarkable coolness, lay quiet and made no attempt to struggle while Deavenport struggled to keep afloat. Others in the party formed a human chain and succeeded in pulling both to safety.

GOLF UP IN THE AIR

EL PASO, Sept. 25.—Airplane golf, the newest innovation in the ancient Scottish pastime was introduced to local golfers when airplanes flew over the city links and players dropped balls from the cockpit of their machines.

The person dropping the ball nearest the hole won the game. No "holes in one" were reported.

Mrs. B. F. Bays of Tehuacana is in the city visiting her father, W. J. Robinson and family.

Germany Surrenders Without Condition

Walton Enters Newspaper Field With "The Record" Which Is To Be Published In Ku Klux Fight

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 25. The first edition of "The Record," the official organ established by Governor Walton for an indefinite period, made its appearance upon the streets. Alfred Walton is editor of the 4-page, 7-column folder which will be published daily. The paper carries extracts of the evidence taken before the grand jury at Tulsa, together with the examinations issued by the governor when he began his fight against the Klan.

COLONEL MUST BE IRISH

PARIS.—It rains a lot in certain regions of the south of France in this season and on that account the troops garrisoned there escaped a lot of drills. The colonel of one regiment instructed his orderly to make an announcement regarding the drill exercises. Here is what he proclaimed: "In future drills will take place in the afternoon if it rains in the morning and in the morning if it rains in the afternoon."

Oklahoma Solons May Not Meet But Mexia Salesmen Surely Will

At the same hour in which the legislators of Oklahoma assert they will meet in extra session, the Mexia Salesmanship club will resume its weekly luncheons. President Lee Pierson has called all able minded, patriotic salesmen to be present. Any who would like to be members of the club are also cordially invited to be present. The meeting is expected to be peaceable.

President Pierson says there will be no "soap box" oratory and "punk" after dinner speeches, but the session will be featured with entertainment throughout. Bonnie Rose juvenile entertainer at the Palace theatre, Miss Rubie Pearce, Blues singer, and Miss Camille Gardner, singer and entertainer, all of the Palace, are scheduled to provide the "eats" of the hour. Other pain killers will be Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Littman. Mr. Littman will sing and Mrs. Littman, who is an accomplished reader, will render some of her choicest selections.

Mr. Pierson states that the following Wednesday is to be an "open day" and is expecting Lieut. Governor T. W. Davidson of Marshall here at that time.

The Bible Story Telling Hour will start next Tuesday, meeting at four o'clock instead of four-thirty at the Library. All the children are invited, you will enjoy an hour of reading, story telling and refreshments, so come.

A. B. Reynolds, J. Sandford Smith, N. Hollingsworth, Judge G. A. Walters were in Groesbeck Monday attending court.

Premiers Meet And Agree To Chancellor's Proposal

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—The German State Premiers, in their conference with Chancellor Stressemann today, fully approved the decision of the Government to abandon passive resistance in the Ruhr without further conditions.

Premiers declared their readiness to defend the unity of Reich. This is interpreted as the final step before Stressemann's public announcement, which is Germany's acknowledgement to the world that she has lost "war after war," and virtually throws herself on the mercy of the allies. Stressemann assumed full responsibility and will tell the facts dispassionately without excuses when he makes public announcement.

R. D. Able of Waco was a business visitor in Mexia Monday.

W. C. Davis of Corsicana was in the city Monday.

Radicalism Attacked By Speaker Before First Session of American Bankers Gathered in Atlantic City

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 25.—The forty-ninth annual convention of the American Bankers Association was opened with a speech by President J. H. Puelicher, who made a vigorous assault on socalled "radicals." He justified the capitalistic system as having brought to all people more comfort and greater leisure than any other system yet tried. He declared, however, there should be no child labor, seven day labor week, nor "treacherous business cycles."

Ruhr and Rhine Leaders Adopt Solemn Unity Vow

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—The German Government today was preparing to attempt negotiations with England and Belgium to obtain their aid in reaching a basis for settlement of the reparations question.

Following Chancellor Stresemann's official announcement of abandonment of passive resistance in the Ruhr, without conditions, the Government looked to Brussels and London to obtain leniency from France.

Earl reports indicated the people as a whole were accepting the statement more readily than had been expected.

As has been reported previously by the United Press, the Government is certain the question of return of expelled and arrested German citizens to their homes in the occupied areas can be adjusted easily, with the exception of a few cases where the French are expected to retain prisoners at least temporarily.

At the opening of yesterday's conferences preceding the Chancellor's official announcement of surrender, Herr Stresemann reviewed the internal situation and said the nation could not bear any continuance of resistance.

Last week's payments into the Ruhr alone amounted to the equivalent of more than $5,000,000 for support of resistance, Stresemann said.

Diplomatic efforts to reach an agreement were fruitless, Stresemann continued, confirming previous dispatches of the United Press which pointed out that the offer through the Belgian Minister failed because of France's refusal to accept the German condtions.

A continuance of resistance could not help Germany's situation, the Chancellor said.

Following Stresemann's explanation all the delegates attending the conferences agreed to surrender, although at first there was bitter opposition from the Deutsche Nationalists.

Today's developments cannot be forecast. Herr Knilling, the Bavarian Premier, already is in Berlin and has indicated he will balk at accepting the decision.

The Ruhr and Rhine leaders, how-

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Mexia was not made to burn. We protest against discrimination against this city in the insurance rates applied.

GREAT MOTHERS GLORIFIED

"Mother, Home and Heaven", was discussed by Evangelist Garrison at the big tent Sunday. In the editorial of the day, by Henry Ellis of The Denison Herald, "Marriages and Slavery" is the subject considered.

The woman who heard the address and who reads the editorial must feel elevated. They stress the sovereignty of a "Great Mother." All mothers may be "great." However, being a great mother is a work of a lifetime. It is early morning labor, all day sacrifice and service, and late night praying. It begins before the babe is born. It endures until the roses of womanhood pale and life wilts away. It dreams while helpless infancy is pressed to a tender mother's loving bosom; it prays and plans and provides while the child waxes in strength and wisdom. Through the succeeding years, it builds hope upon the foundations silently and steadfastly laid in the rapid flight of time. It may be disappointed but it never surrenders.

The child may stray afar and become lost in the rambling paths of the Prodigal; and return to her side, in the home or under the sod, a broken shattered wreck of degenerate humanity, but the "Great Mothers" often have taken these poor fragments and built new temples of service and beauty.

They can love better than life, stand by the scaffold or at the foot of the cross.

The world speaks of great women, meaning those who have achieved prominence in the busy world of public affairs. But few great women ever become great mothers; the public prevents it, becoming selfish in constant absorbing demands. "Work, talents, attentions become the wall between the soul of the child and the mind of the mother."

The world is better by far because it has more great mothers than great women. They are in America; they are in Texas; they are in Mexia; we have them in our homes. Like the stars in the encircling universe which we cannot accurately measure, weigh or appreciate, great mothers often serve in obscurity, but God's eye is ever upon them. Without them, there would be no Home and Heaven itself would soon be forgotten.

Dallas has adopted the Community Chest system of taking care of the charitable and humanitarian organizations operating in that center. There are 29 various organizations, each exacting support from Dallas folk, that are members of the central organization. Mexia citizens frequently speak of the many organizations doing charity work here. There are about three in Mexia against Dallas' 29. Are you not glad you live in Mexia? But Mexia would act wisely in considering the community chest idea for this community.

European scientists have produced the aurora borealis on a miniature scale by the use of the rare gas krypton.

A compass for automobiles has been invented that is insulated from the magnetic influence of the metal of a car.

On an uninhabited island south of Japan, owned by that nation, extensive phosphorus deposits have been discovered.

A central compartment for ice that keeps it away from the other contents features a new pitcher for cold beverages.

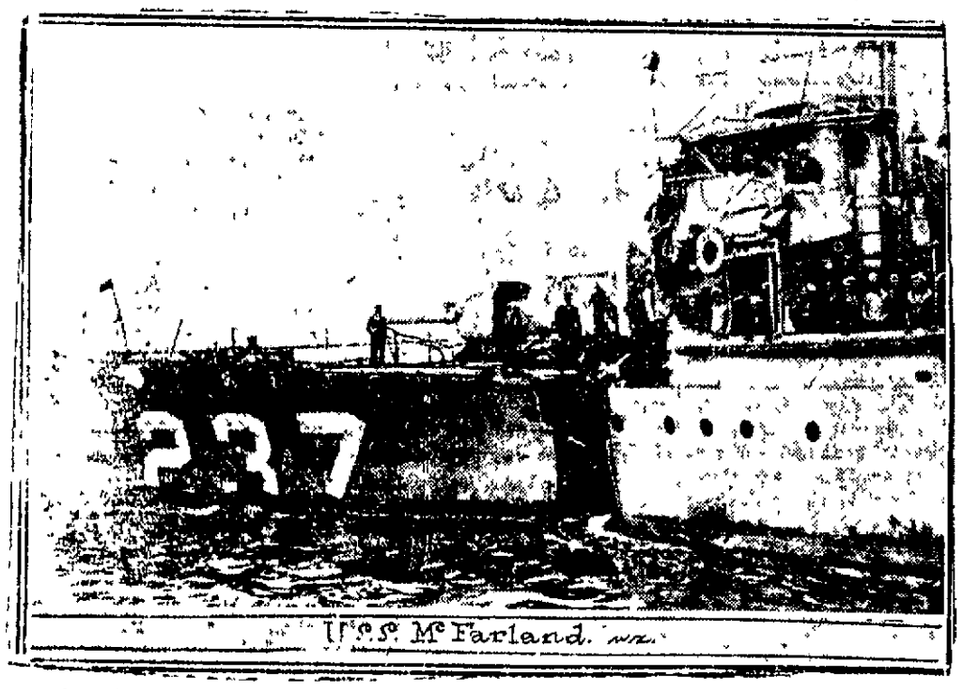
FOR SALE—50x115 lot, third lot E of Canton on north side of Sumpter street. This lot must sell. $250.00 is the price asked. R G Purcell at P. O 7 a m. to 8 a m or 11 a m. to 12 noon. 26J3

BERMUDA ONION sets, turnip and seed oates for sale. C. J. Sterling, S Canton St. 25J3

PACKARD Twin-Six leaving Mexia for Corsicana at 5 30 a m. and leaving Corsicana for Mexia 6 00 p m. Call Lee Beazley at Jimmie's Cafe. 25P7

TORONTO, Ont.—Total gold and silver production from Ontario mines for first six months of 1923 were $8,646,915.

U. S. WARSHIP RAMMED BY BATTLESHIP.



The latest of serious accidents that have lately shocked the United States Navy has been added to by the collision between the super-dreadnaught Arkansas and the destroyer McFarland, which occurred during night maneuvers off Block Island in Long Island Sound. The destroyer, almost cut in half, was escorted into Boston by the battleship. Port Stewart. One man was killed.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

MARRIAGE AND SLAVERY

(Denison Herald)

Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont appears to be pretty well fed up on marriages, since she regards it as slavery and for that reason would not recommend it for any girl. The lady ought to know whereof she speaks since she was twice married herself, the first time the chains proving so galling that she was forced to break them, or did do so whether it was necessary or not. And the second venture, if it were slavery, she endured it until death dissolved the union and released her from the shackles.

As president of the National Woman's party, the major portion of which is composed of maiden women approaching spinsterhood, some of them having already arrived, others who have been disappointed if not in affairs of the heart in some other phase of human activity, Mrs. Belmont has absorbed quite a deal of the dissatisfaction and discontent that has ever marked a distinctively woman's movement. And simply because some women whose conception of the highest duty a woman can perform is in keeping her home beautiful and attractive, leaving her husband to fight the world's battles, the lady classes them with the "clinging vine type" who never contribute much to the world.

We are curious to know just what would become of the world were it not for the "clinging vine type" of women? What would be the status of society and of civilization were the ideas of Mrs. Belmont universally adopted and marriage shunned by young women? What would Mrs. Belmont recommend in lieu of the marriage relation to the end that the race be perpetuated without doing violence to our present social status? What rights is it possible for women to be clothed with that rises higher than those they now enjoy? And what greater contribution to the peace and happiness of mankind can they make than in elevating the homes and raising sons and daughters for the service of the country?

"The intelligent men are with us," Mrs. Belmont is quoted as declaring. "Among the men our only opponents are the small town men and the church organizations." The lady will have to admit that the "small town men" as well as church organizations wield a powerful influence in the land which she will find pitted against her and her party if she or it seeks to destroy the marriage relation. The "small town men" and churches have saved society many times, and they will save it again from such forces of evil.

This Joke Was On Proprietor; Not The Negro

PARIS, Sept. 25.—Black princes, sons of kings and ex-kings and others, are playing havoc with the established order of things in the night life of Paris. All Montmartre is agog about the latest episode in which a "gentleman of color" played a leading part and which cost the proprietor of an all-night restaurant very popular with American tourists close to three thousand dollars.

Jazz joy was at its height when a couple of immaculately garbed men entered the place, wearing dinner coats decorated with orchids. One of them was coal black, which provoked a certain amount of hostile criticism on the part of the Americans present, but the pair established themselves at a central table.

"Of course, Prince," said the white man to his companion, speaking in French, but with a marked Anglo-Saxon accent, "you know nothing goes here but champagne What brand does your highness desire?"

That "prince" and "your highness" caused the waiter and the majordomo to curve their spines The service at that table was of the best When the bill was presented to the "prince", his companion presented a hundred-dollar bill in payment. The change was brought in French bills of small denominations. The prince's friend called for the proprietor of the place.

"Montmartre," he explained, "is not a safe place for honest folk carrying large sums of money at night. Would you mind giving me a couple of hundred francs only in banknotes and write me a check for the balance?"

Nothing easier. Mr. Proprietor signed a check for eight hundred francs, the body of which had been filled in by his aristocratic guest. When he visited his bank two days later he was astounded to be informed that the check had been cashed for forty-eight thousand francs. Investigation disclosed that the words eight hundred had been carefully erased and the higher sum inserted. The fraud was not apparent when the check was presented. The check had been endorsed by "James Brenner"

"Brenner" has vanished His companion, the "prince" was found by the police. He explained that he had received a hundred francs to be prince for a night and knew nothing about the white man except that the latter had explained that he wanted to play a joke on the dance place.

Ed. Survey Com. Meet Austin Today

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 25.—Members of the Educational Survey Commission of Texas were scheduled to meet here today to receive a list of persons considered desirable to act as directors of the survey.

The list was to be submitted by a sub committee of the Commission consisting of Dr. P. W Horn, president of Southwestern University, Dr. S. P. Brooks, of Baylor University and Gus Taylor, of Tyler.

The object of the survey is to increase the efficiency of state schools Every educational institution from the smallest rural school to the higher institutions of learning is to be included.

Governor Pat M Neff is president of the Commission and Tom Finty, Jr, of Dallas is secretary.

THE END OF THE WAY

By SADIE KIRGAN

Sometimes I wonder
What I shall say
When I come to the evening,
The end of my way.

Shall I look back
With vain regrets,
And will there be things
I'd like to forget?

This thing I know
I should like to say
When I come to the evening,
The end of my way;

I gave to the world
Through the passing years,
The best that I had
Of smiles and tears.

HOUSTON LEADS IN HEALTH

HOUSTON, Sept. 25—Houston is the healthiest city in the state, according to a report of Dr. A. H. Flickwir, city health officer.

Houston's death rate for the week of September 17 was only 8.4, compared with Fort Worth, 9.4, Dallas, 10.6; and San Antonio, 10.2.

Billy Buckner left this morning for Dallas to enter the Dental College for a regular four years course. Billy graduated from the Mexia High school in the class of 1920, and has attended Baylor University at Waco the past three years.

CLINE-RAGLAND

Ernest Cline of Grossbeck, Route 1, and Miss Annie Ragland of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. Jeffers, pastor of the First Baptist church, last Thursday night. The wedding took place in front of the revival tent, on Main street, the couple remaining in their car while the ceremony was performed. This took place just before the night's service, while many automobiles were gathering. The street was blockaded a short while during the wedding but none protested when they heard "what the trouble was." The News extends best wishes for the happy couple.

Joe Harrison was a Houston visitor Monday.

Rev. W. H. Wallace, Jr., pastor of the Methodist church in Denison, is in the city visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs W. H. Wallace, and shaking hands with his boyhood friends, of whom he has many living in Mexia, where he was reared. He has just closed a successful revival at the First Methodist church in Waco.

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Tulsa, Okla., Feb. 14, 1923.

Dr. Edwin DeBarr,
P. O. Box 508,
Norman, Oklahoma.

Dear Doctor:

Please find enclosed $20.00, klectokon and one year's dues as a member of the Imperial Klan for John (Jack) Galloway Walton, Governor of Oklahoma.

This work was pulled by Dr. W. T. Tilly of Muskogee, Klan Giant and Great Kleliff of this province, and is one of the best pieces of work that has been pulled by a Klansman in the history of the state.

Dr. Tilly made a special trip from Muskogee to Oklahoma City and gave the Governor the work, on my request and with your consent. I recommend that inasmuch as Dr. Tilly has pulled this work, which has been extremely hazardous, that you should recommend him for a life membership.

Please have the Imperial Palace send to me personally the Imperial Passport and case for Governor Walton, that I may have same delivered to him. It is necessary that this matter be kept absolutely secret, and if the passport were to be mailed to the Governor, or to you, it might get into the wrong hands.

Governor Walton does not want anyone, not even Earl, to know of this. I believe it wise for you not to approach him in any way for the present. Two new members of the University Board are being considered.

With kindest personal regards and best wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours I.T.S.U.E.,
Minor Meriwether

Great Titan, Province #3,
Realm of Oklahoma.

Here is an alleged Ku Klux Klan letter, signed "Minor Meriwether, Grand Titan, Province No. 3, Realm of Oklahoma," which purports to show that Governor Jack Walton, who has declared martial law in the State in his fight on the Klan, is really a member of the Knights of the Nighties. Governor Walton indignantly denied that he ever joined the order and offered a reward of $1,000 to anyone who could prove he ever became a member of the Klan.

A. & M. and Swanee Start Season With Only Light Games

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 25.—Both Sewanee and Texas A. & M., the teams that supply the opening feature for the State Fair here at the Stadium on Saturday, October 13, were in action in the past week-end. Both had scheduled light games with no intention of getting real action and both came through with flying colors, Sewnee over Carson-Newman and the Aggies over Sam Houston Normal. The opening games gave no indication of the class of the two teams this year.

Head Coach Bible of the Aggies was not even inclined to let the followers of his team, regarded as the most promising of Conference contenders, get an idea o' what he will regard as his first string line-up. His team was running signals against the Huntsville squad and he used practically every man on his roster. Coach Bennett of the Tigers would probably look in envy on the roll of huskies Bible sent into Saturday's game, for the Tigers, the thin Purple line of the South for twenty years, are seldom able to put more than two elevens on the practice gridiron and the squad that starts is the team that goes thru from first to last.

Out of the College Station game flashed the names of two new stars for the Aggies in Pinson and Fay Wilson. Both come from the Freshmen of '22, and both are North Texas products; Pinson of Forney and Wilson of Honey Grove. The two can be relied upon as first string backs this year, Pinson playing the position the older Aggie star of the same name covered two seasons back, and Wilson, offensive back and defensive end in his high school days, used in the Aggie backfield to make the most of his triple threat propensities.

The Sam Houston game was played with but ten days training. Another week will lie behind the Aggies when they sweep into action against Howard Payne in the coming week, and by the time Southwestern has been passed, Bible will have his squad whipped into shape for the big part of the schedule that starts with the Sewnee game.

WANTED—We have an opening for an experienced, high-powered wrapper. If you haven't the experience and speed, don't apply. Higdon-McElroy Co. 25A1

Letters are beginning to arrive daily from the many young ladies and gentlemen of Mexia who are attending college and universities, in which they state that they are getting into their year's work in earnest. Quite a number of them have requested that The News be mailed to them daily and the home newspaper is glad to go to them like "a letter from home" to be referred to many times daily.

E. L. Smith spent Sunday with his family here, returning to Corsicana Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Munger have returned to their home at Abilene after a most pleasant visit with Fred Karner and daughter, Miss Frederika.

Italy has prohibited the manufacture of matches containing white phosphorus or their importation, sale possession.

Road to Health

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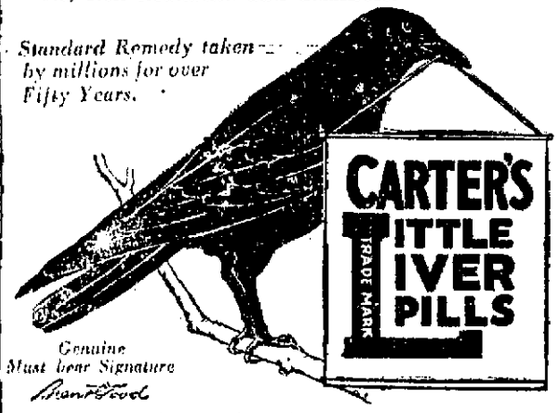

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Salvation Army Does Big Work In Mexia During Past 45 Days

During the past six weeks Captain George Laing, of the Mexia Salvation Army corps had a busy period. He and Mrs. Laing were busy from early until late in their service to Mexia. From August the first to September fifteenth, they have been supplying 20 people daily with bread, rolls and cakes. The Bon Ton Bakery and Jimmie's Cafe and Bakery supply the bread to the salvationists for this purpose. The families, with a total of 39 persons. These were properly investigated and found to be worthy cases. On an average $5.00 worth of groceries and bakers goods have been given away during this 45 day period.

32 meals were given away at a local cafe, 16 of which were for a sick man, who has also been provided lodging, drugs and medical attention.

414 garments have been placed with people who were in need of them.

3 others were given medical attention.

5 were given employment.

48 were interviewed and advised.

2 families were given beds and mattress complete.

205 War Crys were given away in non Christian homes.

Captain Laing stated that he appreciates the co-operation given in Mexia which enabled this service to be accomplished.

WATER AT TEAGUE ANALYZES PURE

TEAGUE, Texas, Sept. 25.—According to an analysis made by the State Board of Health, the water furnished by the city of Teague is pure and free from all germs of any nature, and ranks very high in that respect. The analysis was made at the request of City Manager E. B. St. Clair whose policy is to have the water tested occasionally. The Teague water supply is obtained from deep wells and the city also has a purification plant. The water is soft and cool as it comes from the ground and is what is known as "freestone" water from which this county obtains its name.

Soap into which steel wool is introduced before the cakes are moulded has been invented for scouring aluminum utensils.

Ground Broken For A $12,500.00 Catholic Church

Several days ago ground was broken for the new St. Mary's church building at the corner of Bonham and Sumpter streets, and the foundation is now being poured.

The building will be a brick veneer, 37½x76 feet, to cost about $12,500 without the furnishings. Hope Bros. of Mexia have the contract and the building is to be completed by December 1st, and will add one more first class church building to Mexia's already splendid list of places of worship.

Father Kelley is loud in his praises of Mexia people—not only Catholics but non-Catholics as well, for he states that more than half the money raised by him for this building was contributed by members of other churches, for which he is grateful.

Since the coming of the oil boom the congregation of this church has grown to such proportions that the old building was no longer adequate either in size or equipment to the prestige of Mexia as a city of churches so the building of a new home was necessary.

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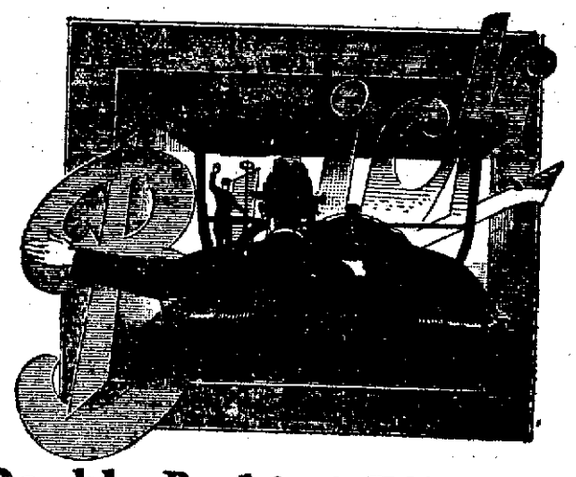

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S. M. U. and T. C. U. To Play First Game On Armstrong Field

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 25.—Speculation over the lineup that will be decided upon by Coaches Ray Morrison and Ewing Freeland to open the season here Saturday is the big topic of conversation around the S. M. U. campus this week. The Mustangs follow their usual custom in opening the season with Theron Fouts' North Texas Normal team from Denton, and while the locals expect to defeat the T. I. A. A. team, they know that they are in for a fight. Fouts' the old Baylor star, has threatened to wipe out last season's runaway victory and must be reckoned with.

Morrison and Freeland are expected to give all their eligibles an opportunity to participate in the game if the state of the score justifies it, but the team of veterans selected to start the game is creating the greatest interest.

Last year's freshmen team was regarded as an exceptionally strong one and the eligible players who will be battling for places on the varsity this fall are greater than the few vacancies left by graduation and departure. The coaches have open minds as to the men who will make the team. Ability not veteran experience counts. Consequently, the early games will serve, above everything else, to give a good line on the prospective first string that will battle for the Southwestern Conference campaign.

The player that make the S. M. U. team this year must be fighters. That is a certainty. And the best indication of the spirit the coaches have injected the squad is the daily scrimmage practice that began Saturday for the first time. Every man on the team is out there fighting for his position and Armstrong Field already begins to look like a battle field.

Saturday's game will be played at Armstrong Field.

Cause of Pimples Explained

It is easy to understand why so many people never have been able to get rid of their pimples, blotches, bumps and other skin troubles, which keep them from being attractive, when you consider that few of them know what is causing them, and naturally don't know when they are not doing the right thing to get rid of them.

So-called skin diseases are caused by poisons from the perspiration becoming congested in the tiny pores and glands of the skin because they can't get out. Unhealthy skin holds them back and you know what must happen when you continue to let this condition exist. For this reason "skin lotions," etc., can't possibly help you any. You need what is known as Black and White Ointment which heals the sores, builds up the tissue of the skin, makes it active, so it naturally expels all the acid poisons which the system must throw off through the pores. Then pimples, blotches, "breaking out," eczema, etc., quickly disappear.

Black and White Ointment is economically priced in generous packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have it.—(Adv.)

TEAGUE, Texas, Sept. 25.—Lieutenant Governor T. W. Davidson of Marshall, has advised friends at Teague that he will deliver several lectures upon "Constitutional Government" during the next few weeks, and arrangements will be made to have him deliver his first address at Teague. Mr. Davidson is expected to outline his views in these lectures which are preliminary to his active campaign for Governor in the primaries next year.

President Coolidge Has Cousin in Texas Strawberry Farmer

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 25.—In a little weatherbeaten farmhouse in the midst of a huge strawberry patch, a cousin of the President of the United States, spends his time raising strawberries.

His name is Woodson Philip Coolidge, aged 64, and he came to Pasadena, a few miles from Houston down the ship channel, twenty-seven years ago.

The same broad high forehead, the same Yankee nose, and the same odd twist to the mouth—the resemblance to the president is marked.

"I don't lay much claim to being kin to the president" Coolidge said, "but I reckon I must be. Folks say we look so much alike and some of my boys look like him right smart."

W. P. Coolidge is a democrat.

"My father was a Republican, but there's no use wasting your vote down here," he explained.

George Prendergast of the Humphreys Oil Company has been transferred to the Beaumont district where he is now engaged with the construction department of the Pure Oil Company. He has made many friends in Mexia who regret to learn of his transfer.

SILENT SALUTE FOR DEAD ON ARMISTICE DAY

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 25.—At the hour when the guns on the western front finally stopped firing, November 11, at 11 o'clock, Legionaires throughout America will stand silently for 30 seconds in prayer for the "buddies" left behind.

Garland W. Powell, director of Legion's National American committee, announces that posts in all cities had made arrangements to conduct this simultaneous tribute to those who gave their lives for America.

Following this impressive ceremony, roll call for those who went to war from each community will be read by post adjutants. As the names of those who gave their lives are read, Legionaires designated by the post commanders will give brief outlines of their war records.

In the parades of veterans to be held throughout the country, Powell has suggested that veterans of the Civil and Spanish-American wars march before the Legionaires.

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We note with satisfaction that a well known physician in his hospital and private practice has discovered that Moone's Emerald Oil will remove the most obstinate Piles with just a few applications and stop all itching, burning, bleeding and distress.

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A new electlic insulation is claimed to be proof against harm by any temperature less than that required to fuse copper.

J. K. Hughes, big oil operator of Mexia, has about completed arrangements for drilling a well on land belonging to T. C. Westbrook of Waco which is about a mile northeast of the Post Oak well. The entrance of Mr. Hughes in the Chilton field is the most encouraging indication up to now of the faith men extensively engaged in the oil game in Texas have in the territory contiguous to Chilton.

The many friends of Judge I. W. Keys will regret to learn that he is confined to his bed this week, suffering the discomforts of the "flu" or some such ailment.

An ice chest, a buffet and a special locker to hold a golf bag are included in the equipment of a new sports model automobile.

American interests plan to establish a diamond cutting plant in British Guiana, where the production of the gems is increasing.

A. T. Shuls is able to be up ag after severe suffering over a pe of nearly two weeks. It is the h of his great number of friends that will suffer no relapse.

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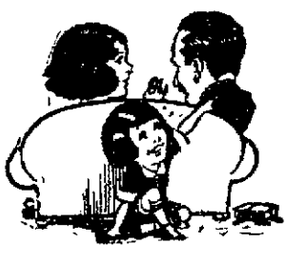

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Real Sport and Squabbling

Far be it from Mexia or it's paper to cast any reflection on any city membership of the Texas Association of Baseball. But with no direct inference to any one the old adage that "when thieves fall out just men get their deserts," seems to take on a significance and a newer and broader meaning when we think of the recent "squable" the two cities of Austin and Sherman have engaged in while trying to settle who's who in the Texas Association circles.

This is very pertinent from the mere fact that Mexia was by all that was fair and square beaten out of the first division pennant honors. Mexia and its club, fighting a sporting game from start to finish won by all that was fair. It was not chance that lost them the honor of the first division or split season award. But scheming and under-handed manipulation that savors of the petty jealousy that goes with defeat. Mexia won. She won on the field of sport and with fair treatment on the part of her opponents would have carried her victory on thru and which ever team won the last half there would have been a play-off that would have been a credit to the baseball world. But now what has happened? The Austin and Sherman teams have decided that each are right. There will be no play-off and citizens of the Association loop that supported the teams will not have the privilege to see the two best teams fight it out. Sport is right and fair, else it is wrong and a cheat to all. Not alone to the participants in the game but to the onlookers, it is such capers as this that makes the public realize that the best team does not always win. It is such as this that breeds suspicion in the heart of the citizen that wants honest sport. No matter if he loses, he wants to know that he lost right. So it is that sport loses it's prestige,—loses that one steel hoop of cleavage that binds it to the nation as the play of the great. Rob baseball of the honest chance a team has to win or lose and you slip the knife of commercialism into the vitals of the sport. Then season after season, when the different leagues are organized it is then that co-operation of each citizen that you need is denied. Why? For the reason that no man wants to take part in or help support a so-called sport when it's a toss-up as to who is the smoothest gamester and trickster.

These lines are written with no "post mortem" in view. But to try and save baseball as a clean honest sport and when it ceases to be you will have no more league baseball. The public has the last word on and in this matter and it is the public that pays the salaries. So you that handle these matters if you would keep baseball alive and the manly sport up to the standard that is American,—look well to your future conduct and the acts of those you can influence in the right way.

A great ball player whom we all know fell from his high pedestal last season for the reason that he became greater than organized baseball in his own estimation. This season he has had a sensational come back and has just been awarded the highest honors of the game. Why? He realized his error, his smallness and that there was only one fair, right way to play ball or any other sport. That is the way you do business—the right way.

Don't blame the game,—you that support it. But censure the higher ups who manage it, and make their living that way. Cleanse the game of all but clean able and capable men and you cleanse the game and make it what it should be,—"the Great American Game."

EXPERIENCED FLIERS DIE

WASHINGTON, Sept 24.—The two American army balloonists killed in the destruction of the army balloon S-6 in Holland were experienced flyers, army air service officials said today. Lieut. Robert S. Olmstead, a native of Sheldon, Vt., was 37 years of age and was attached to the army air service depot at Middletown, Pa.

A light filter for photographing cloud effects that will fit the lens of almost any pocket camera has been invented.

Blake Smith was a Corsicana visitor Monday.

Wills Now on Dempsey Black List.

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—When the court decided that Harry Wills had no legal rights to force his way into a contest for the world's heavyweight championship with Jack Dempsey he lost what little chance he had remaining for the title.

Wills may be held up as a martyr, in that circumstances seemed to militate against his chances to win the championship and a fortune, but when the facts are considered dispassionately, the big colored fighter has no one to blame but himself.

He had many supporters up to the time he sought to prevent the Dempsey-Firpo fight at a time when all the arrangements had been completed and when Tex Rickard had spent more than $50,000 in preliminary arrangements. It placed him in the position of a bad sport and it cost him a lot of public sympathy.

Had Wills been that aggressive in forcing the issue a year or two ago he would have had a crack at Dempsey before Firpo and he would have had a better chance to win the championship two years ago, because it is known that he has slipped considerably in the last year. It is only natural that he could not retain whatever form he possessed without fighting.

Firpo worked himself into a bout for the title by building himself up on a lot of fights. He wanted a crack at the championship and he submitted to the process of being built up to the position of the logical contender by fighting everyone he was asked to meet.

Wills would have had the bout a long time ago if he had agreed or been willing to do the same thing. When he started out to build himself up, he made himself look bad, especially in the bout with Clem Johnson, and he apparently decided then that he had only one shot in him and that was good for a losing end with Dempsey.

He was offered $10,000 to meet George Godfrey in one of the bouts on the Milk Fund show, where Firpo and Jess Willard appeared, but he turned down the offer, saying that he was too good to appear in anything that looked like a preliminary.

Firpo might have considered himself as being better than a preliminary fighter, but he had business sense enough to see the opportunity of making such a good showing that the fans would consider him the best of the lot on the card.

Wills could have gone on in a preliminary and he might have made such a fine showing that the crowd given the verdict that Willard and Firpo were both hams and that Wills was the real contender for the title.

The colored fighter would have been asked to meet Firpo, but it is almost sure that he would have refused.

Floyd Johnson, the young Iowa heavyweight, was willing to fight Wills, and several promoters were willing to offer a fancy purse, but Wills would not consider the fight.

While other contenders were fighting around and trying to force themselves into a title bout, Wills sat back and wept that he was being given a raw deal, but he made no move to help himself and in the boxing game there are few helping hands extended for anyone.

Mexia Hi To Play Mart

Coach Poteet and his fighting high school eleven will journey to Mart Friday, September 28 to play the gridiron representatives of that city.

The Mart eleven has one of the best teams it has had in years, it is understood and will make trouble for all teams in this section it is supposed.

Coach Poteet has not made any statement as to the lineup of the local eleven but it will be in after the Mart boys no doubt. There are quite a number of fans and boosters, including the high school pep squad, who are going to make the trip with the boys.

DIRECTORS SEARCHES FOR GIRL WITH SOUL OF A MUSICIAN FOR FILM— GETS DOROTHY MACKAILL

"Can the soul of a musician be transferred to the screen?"

Edwin Carewe, who made "Mighty Lak' a Rose," the First National release which will be shown at the National Theatre Wednesday and Thursday. And he declares he has accomplished the feat in this picture through the acting of Dorothy Mackaill, a pretty young musician, who plays the part of "Rose Duncan."

When Mr. Carewe began casting for the picture he looked about for an actress, as he describes it "whose soul expressed music." More then two hundred young women applied to him. All were rejected. The director was in despair.

"I know just what I want," he said, "but I can't get the type. I want something never before seen on the screen. I want a girl who is a violinist—a good violinist—who has a musical soul and who will play the violin with such truth and sincerity that her spirit of music will make itself apparent on the screen. I know it can be done. All I want is the girl."

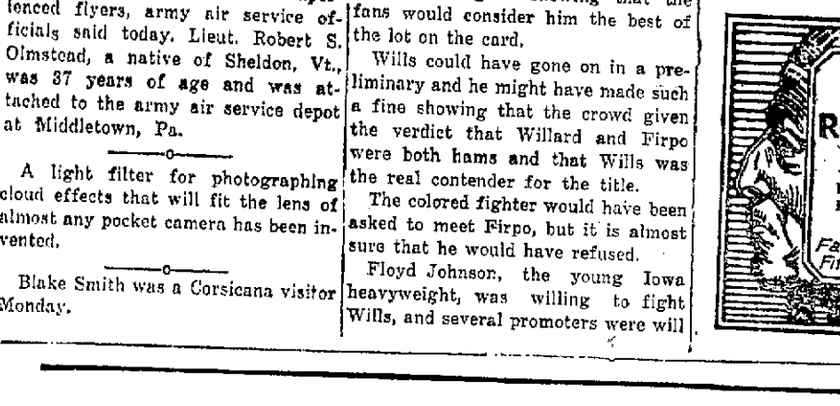
"Perhaps I can find her," Anders Randolf, who appears in the production. He introduced Dorothy Mackaill to the director. Carewe appraised her critically—a slender girl with wistful eyes and delicately moulded, expressive features. She played the violin. She was a pianist. She loved her music. Her whole life was wrapped up in it.

"You'll do," said the director after a few tests during which Miss Mackaill acted and played a Stradivarius which has been handed down in her family for several generations.

Mr. Carewe is now delighted with his selection, for Miss Mackaill has fulfilled his dream of transferring the soul of music to the screen.

The play deals with regeneration through music. During the taking of most emotional scenes the music is furnished by an orchestra off the set, but in some of the biggest scenes the emotions of the actors are swayed by Miss Mackaill's music. No other music is necessary.

Miss Mackaill, although only eighteen years old, has worked in motion picture studios of England, France and America. She has been on the speaking stage as well as in pictures.



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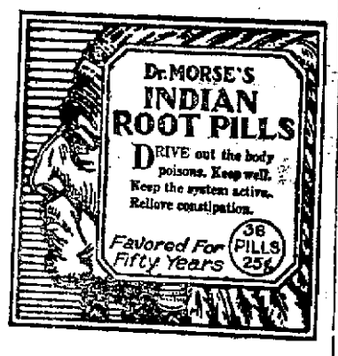
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AT THE OPERA HOUSE

Billy Earle's Jazz Mania Revue started their second week at the Opera House last night with a Musical Comedy Drama entitled "Two Partners Frofthe West," which proved to be the brightest bit of entertainment seen in Mexia in many a day.

The play was a comedy drama of the better class dealing with the family affairs of a very rich man and the members of this clever company displayed their talent by the way they put it over, as each line was put over for its full value, collectively and individually this company gave a performance that is seldom equalled even by the higher priced road shows.

Mr. Fay Hammond and Miss Tessie Wilson played the leading parts in "Two Partners" and in their intensely dramatic scenes held their audience spell bound. Mr. Hammond also had a musical number in the show that was well received.

Billy Earle as the villian of the play gave a very good performance and at all times was the bad man he was supposed to be.

Ellen Cohen the 50-horse-power soubrette played a very clever part and her number was a big hit, taking many encores.

The comedy of the show was in the hands of George Reno and Ben D. Wilson, [illegible] scored many laughs as [illegible] who were in [illegible] for the first time and decided the town sed, even if of a dime. George Reno's [illegible] was very funny [illegible] and to come back and do it [illegible] Other specialties worthy [illegible] Kirby Jones, Bobby Williams and Roy Harris all of them going over big.

This company will remain here the balance of this week with a complete change of program each day. The show for tonight being "His Two Sweethearts," a real musical comedy and sure to be above the average.

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A motion picture camera small enough to be carried in a pocket, although it uses more than 80 feet of film has been invented.

HOME DRESSMAKING

By JEANNE ROLAND
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New Coats Have Slender Lines—Fur and Embroidery Trim Wraps

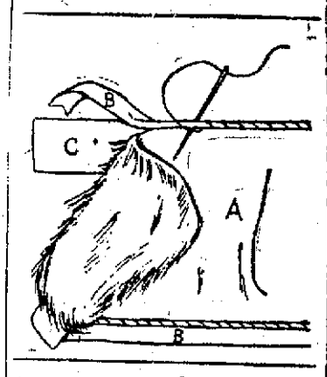
Harmonizing with the lovely colors of Autumn are the new coats in brown and the wood shades of marvella, fashona, duvetyn and other materials. They must be trimmed with fur or embroidery, or both, to be ultra-smart.

Of the many lovely styles for Autumn and Winter wraps, none is prettier than this one with straight lines and soft, flowing folds. To make it one will need 3¾ yards of material 54 inches wide. The bishop sleeves are gathered into narrow cuffs of self-material, which are trimmed with fur. Above the fur banding are rows of hand-embroidery executed in border effect in rope silk and metal threads.

The lower edge of the coat reflects the liking of Paris for circular flounces, while the front remains flat. The neck is gathered to a band of fur and the belt is of a silken cord secured with two fancy buckles and finished with tassels. The coat may be lined with crepe de chine or satin.

The figure (A) shows how the fur is lined and interlined before it is added to the coat as a trimming. Take a piece of tape and whip along the edges (B). Place a piece of cardboard against the fur to keep it flat and when the fur is to be cut use a razor blade for the purpose instead of a scissor.

The kimono sleeves are cut in one with the front and back of the coat, then very deep cuffs added to give the fashionable length. Paris is paying very great attention to sleeves this season, giving first place to long sleeves for street wear. The bishop effect, which is long and full and gathered into a narrow band, is one of the most popular designs seen in Paris just now.



Lining and Interlining Fur Banding.

For more practical wear this model may be developed in one of the smart English woolens, say tweed or camel's hair. The new shades of tan, gray and brown are generally becoming and may be worn with or without fur collars. Skunk, muskrat, civet cat and fox are the favored furs for wraps.

An Englishman has invented a walking stick that can be converted into a golf club by screwing heads over the ferrule.

LOST—Near the ball park a ladies purse with gold watch and chain and money. Return to News Office and receive reward. 25D1

Miss Corin Watson and Miss Sadie Kirgan, of the Sumpter Street School faculty, spent the week end with their homefolks at Fairfield. Mrs. Lee Kifgan, mother of Miss Sadie, and her eldest son came in Saturday to accompany them home.

Editor Lee Kirgan of the Fairfield Recorder was a Mexia visitor Monday, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Sadie and Miss Corin Watson, local teachers.

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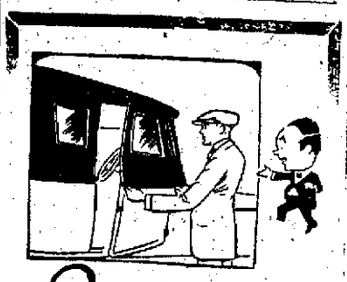

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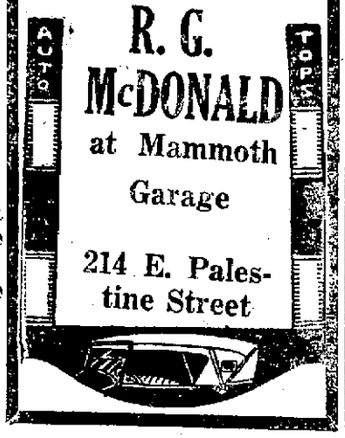

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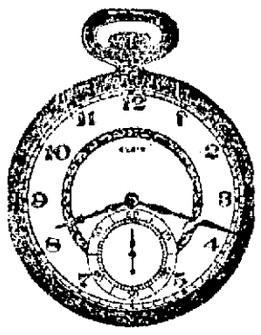

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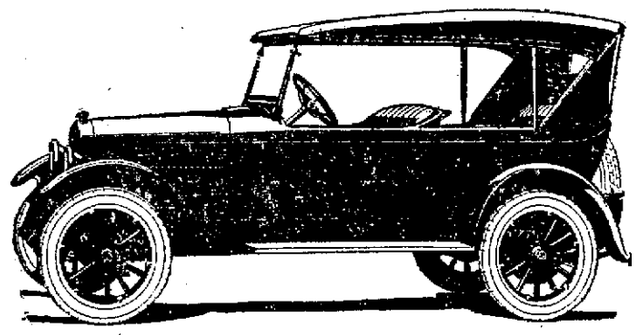

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An underwritten contract dated Sept. 22, 1923, has been entered into by the company with J. A. Elkins for the purpose of the sale of the treasury stock owned by the company amounting to 81,580 shares. This contract will be submitted to the stockholders for ratification and approval; and for the transaction of such other business as will be properly brought before the meeting.

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The big "cats" are heavy meat eaters, and the animal men have discovered that overfeeding leads to distemper and other ailments. So, it has long been ordained that one day each week will be fasting day for them. But the babies of the "cat" dens never worry. Their mothers see that they are not done out of their Sunday dinners.

Scores of interesting wild animals will be on view, when the Sells-Floto street parade—the largest in the world this year—passes in review through the business section of the city on circus day forenoon.

Patterson's Column

YESTERDAY THE writer took
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Letters from People

LET'S REASON TOGETHER

During the past few months there has been an unusual amount of discussion regarding Sunday amusements and pressure been brought to bear against the attending of Sunday base ball, picture shows, and other forms of amusements that children partake of. These subjects are being discussed and commented upon at various church councils and from the pulpit, which I think is well enough in its place, but what right has one to bring pressure to bear against these forms of amusement when nothing better is being provided by the Christian people of the town for the uplifting of it's boys and girls.

Is there a single church service being held among the leading church organizations in the afternoon to provide diversion for the youngsters, and are the Christian people of Mexia providing a supervised playground where the children may gather and enjoy themselves without the possibility of their coming together and being brought into contact with the objectionable (may I not say obscene) elements of society?

What are mothers to do with their children? Are we to shut them up like hot-house plants in order to keep them from associating with children whose little hearts are, in their tender years, polluted with thoughts and words that would make a worldly man or woman blush with shame? Is it fair to the child to bring the pressure of the rod upon their tender flesh, by way of correction, for the things that are allowed to go on unheeded by the majority of the people (Most of whom are Christians) on our streets every day?

Remember the cemetery experience! If those children had been provided with wholesome amusement they would not have been in the place of the sacred dead at that time. God has given the children an abundance of energy to urge them on to accomplishments in life, and who is to blame if this energy is permitted to express itsself in (what we self-righteous grown-ups are pleased to call) hideous crimes, disgraceful conduct, etc? I think it is high time that the adult population of Mexia should arouse themselves from their lethargy and put forth some effort for the salvation of the children in their midst, for God will not hold us guiltless; and who of us can stand before His bar of Justice and say: "When did I fail to minister unto Thee, Lord?" when we have so grievously neglected the most precious of His creations, the little child.

I speak from my very heart, people of Mexia. I, a stranger in your midst, have had experiences with my children since I have been here that causes me to shudder, and I wonder if there are not other mothers whose hearts are beating in sympathy with mine.

If I were not willing to give the very best that I have, in time, experience and my share of the means to provide for the children I should have remained silent, but I have done welfare work, Parent-Teacher work, etc., and know what tremendous good can be accomplished with such small out lay of money that it seems a crime in your fast growing city, that these conditions should not be given prime importance. "Mexia will need them later" is well said: Let's do our part NOW in making them worth while.

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Americans In Quake Zone Who Survived Japanese Disaster Will Be Assisted By Funds Raised In Red Cross Drive

Among the hundreds of thousands of homeless, hungry refugees in Japan's earthquake area there are many foreigners and among them numerous Americans. Perhaps no group was better represented in the stricken districts than the American Missionary, some of whom are shown in the above photograph conducting a Bible meeting in one of the streets of Tokio.

It is for the immediate relief of the suffering that the American Red Cross, which was designated by President Coolidge as the channel through which sympathetic Americans might contribute to them, has issued a call to the people of the United States, urging them not to relax in their efforts. The original minimum quota of $5,000,000 set by the Red Cross when the first cable dispatches were received from Japan was found early in the campaign, or as soon as more complete details were received, to be inadequate for the tremendous task of relief, and John Barton Payne, chairman of the Red Cross, and Secretary of Commerce Hoover, who is associated with him on the executive committee of the organization, have declared that the intense suffering and distress of the affected people justifies redoubled efforts to rush relief to them.

In an official statement issued by them they emphasize the fact that while property losses might have been somewhat exaggerated in the earlier reports there could be no question that the human suffering is most intense, with the many thousands of injured and sick, the great number of orphans and a population almost entirely without shelter. President Coolidge announced after advices he received from his representatives in Japan, that he believed there was a necessity for continued effort to increase America's contributions.

Because of America's prompt response in other great disasters, this country was the first toward which Japan looked for help. Red Cross officials have implicit faith that her appeal will meet with the same generous sympathy that was displayed in feeding the victims of the great Russian famine.

Emphasis has been placed by Chairman Payne on the fact that every cent of the money collected for Japanese relief will be spent for just that purpose. None of it will be diverted to the Red Cross funds for other uses, and there will be none of the usual expense involved in sending personnel to the stricken area. The fund will be administered by a volunteer committee of substantial business men.

No indication as to the course of action to be pursued by the legislators agitating for a special session of the House could be learned. "Legislative headquarters is maintaining silence," W. D. McBee, leader of the movement, declared when reached early today.

"All of the members favoring a special sesison of the house are not in town."

Several will not arrive here until Wednesday morning and until that time there will be no statement from legislative headquarters, he stated.

"However," he continued, "it would be a poor class of citizenship who would fai to do their duty because the Governor issues bombastic statement."

Additional troops promised by the Governor to be on the ground at the Capitol Wednesday had not appeared early today. No information regarding troop movement was advanced by military authorities or the Governor.

ALL NIGHT LONG

FT. WORTH, Sept. 25.—Fans stood in line all night to get tickets to the game and newsboys reaped a harvest by selling their places in the long line for sums ranging from $5 to $15.

Two hundred New Orleans fans, and two jazz bands accompanied the Southern loop champions to Ft. Worth.

Local News

Guy Deaper of Waco was in Mexia Monday.

T. J. Herring of Waco was in Mexia Monday.

E. P. Moore of Waco was in Mexia Monday.

A. L. Hollister is in Corsicana on business.

S. C. Henley of Waco was in Mexia Monday on business.

Miss Ouida Wildman was a visitor in Corsicana Tuesday.

Tom Smith of Tehuacana was in the city shopping Tuesday.

Cliff Cain of Harlin was in Mexia visiting a few days with his wife.

B. B. Simmonds and Howard Mace were in court in Groesbeck Monday.

Miss Jessie Alma returned from Port Arthur where she spent a month's vacation.

Mrs. Vance Means left Monday for Little Rock, Ark., where she will visit her mother.

Miss Frances Corley left Monday for Dallas where she will attend S. M. U. this year.

A. W. Hills of Dallas was in town Monday on business and shaking hands with friends.

Mrs. Ben F. Stollenwerck motored to Terrell Tuesday and will visit there for about ten days.

Mrs. E. M. Heffron of Duncan, Oklahoma, arrived Monday to visit with her mother, Mrs. E. H. Peyton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. See of Tonkawa, Oklahoma, are visiting their daughter Mrs. Hugh Alspur for a few days.

Latvia's extensive peat deposits will be used as fuel in a station that will provide electric light and power for Ligau.

Built about the same time as Rome but much larger, the ruins of a city have been discovered buried in the jungles of Ceylon by explorers.

Adjustable legs enable a new dish pan to be raised to any convenient height and a removable screen on the bottom faciitlates cleaning it.

By injecting dyes into their cocoons as they are being formed a French scientist claims to have caused silks worms to spin colored threads.

Muscle Shoals Project Believed Fallen Through

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Officials believe that Henry Ford's Muscle Shoals project has fallen through as the result of the sale by the War Department of the Gorgas power plant to the Alabama Power company. The Gorgas plant included in Ford's bid and Ford said he would not make the bid without this plant. Ford failed to reply to the request by President Coolidge that he eliminate the Gorgas plant from his offer. Secretary Weeks received a telegram from W. B. Mayo, Ford's chief engineer, expressing surprise at the sale.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS

Brammer, C. S.
Borytes.
Bingham, J. H.
Berry, Mrs. Clara.
Big Four Brokerage Co.
Carroll, J. E.
Cone, Ben F. (2)
Harris, G. M.
Hellers, Tom.
McDonald, Mrs. L. W.
Morris, Marie.
Machen, C. H., Mayor
McDaniel, H. A.
Miller, Mr.
Peltz, Sam (3)
Parks, F. S.
Overstreet, W.
Richardson, G. E.
Skinner, F. E.
Smith, Nathaniel.
Watson, E., Mayor.
Waldon, Rev. T. V.

Just over from Belgium and the capitals of continental Europe with a lot of new laughs and some of the most unusual riding stunts we've looked at in years—that Joe Hodgini, equestrain comic, star of the Sells-Floto circus and Buffalo Bill's Wild West, coming to Mexia Friday, Oct. 5th with his family of finished bareback artists. With the Joe Hodginis are the Hobsons and the Alberts, riding troupes, featuring Don Alberto, Homer and little Herberta Hobson, and they do things that have not been seen to date under the American big tops. Seeking for something new this season, Sells-Floto has combed the far places, and it has, it is claimed, brought home the bacon. Spain, little Belgium and England have sent over their best, and, with the American riding stars in its line-up, Sells-Floto's rings are filled with interesting, amusing equestrian feats. Then, too, with its famous forty-eight horse act from Budapesth, the second largest show on earth has reason to boast of its importations for the year. Acrobatic and aerial cats, too, come from abroad, to say nothing of wire dancers from South America.

RUHR AND RHINE

...ever, have adopted a solemn vow of unity with the Reich and it is feared the Government, contrary to other reports is breathing more easily regarding the threatened Bavarian outbreak. Through a clever ruse under guise of troop maneuvers, the Government succeeded in getting all Bavarian Reichswehr troops into Wurtemberg and Baden, leaving only trusted Saxon soldiers in Bavaria.

The fear previously had existed that the Reichswehr might be induced to join the various Bavarian "fighting bands" in a coup against the Berlin Government.

Also the fact that Minister Sollman is venturing to speak at Nuremberg today, in the heart of the stronghold of the German Fascisti was interpreted to show that the Government feels it can defy the reactionary groups who have openly declared their readiness to march northward and overthrow the Government in Berlin.

WALTON ISSUES

the executive ban according to the Governor.

The Governers drastic order to the adjutant general headed "military order," was:

"WHEREAS, a certain pretended call was issued by one W. D. McBee and others, addressed to certain members of the House of Representatives of this State which in substance calls upon certain members to meet at the Capitol building at Oklahoma City at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, Sept. 26, 1923, which said proposed meeting would be an unlawful assemble, dominated and controlled by the so-called invisible empire, commonly known as the Ku Klu Klan, and

"WHEREAS, said pretended call is without authority of law and issued for the purpose of aiding and abetting the cause of the so-called invisible empire or the Ku Klux Klan, and

"WHEREAS, the State of Oklahoma is now under martial law for the purpose of protecting the people of the said State from the rule of the said so-called invisible empire and to obtain evidence for its extermination, and

"WHEREAS, by proclamation of the Governor of this State the said invisible empire or Ku Klux Klan was declared to be an enemy of the sovereign State of Oklahoma and the evidence adduced before the military courts show that it has taken over the political government in many cities and counties, and as an organization has murdered, whipped, beaten, flogged and outraged many citizens of this State, and by said proclamation, all persons were forbidden to aid or abet in any manner the carrying out of the purposes of haid invisible empire, commonly known as the Ku Klux Klan, and

"WHEREAS, the proposed meeting of the said certain members of the House of Representatives unlawfully as aforesaid, is in defiance and violation of the statutes of the State of Oklahoma, now under military law, and also contrary to the constitution and laws of Oklahoma and is an attempt to break the peace of the State.

"Now, therefore, I, J. C. Walton, Governor of the State of Oklahoma and commander-in-chief of the military forces of said State, hereby command, order and direct you as adjutant general of said State to disperse said unlawful assembly and prevent absolutely the proposed meeting at 12 o'clock noon, Sept. 26, 1923, at the Capitol at Oklahoma City or at any other time or place in the State of Oklahoma after the date of this order and you will use all the military forces of the State if necessary for such purposes. To carry out this order you will use absolutely whatever and all force of arms necessary thereunto.

"The citizens soldiers of this State between the ages of 21 and 45 years are commanded and ordered to hold themselves in readiness with such arms as they may possess or can obtain to come to the assistance of the sovereign State of Oklahoma when directed so to do by the Governor of this State as the commander-in-chief of its military forces or by the adjutant general.

"You as adjutant general will issue all supplemental orders and directions for the carrying out of this order and to protect the lives and property of the citizens of Oklahoma who are not aiding and abetting said pretended assembly or otherwise giving aid and comfort to the said invisible empire or Ku Klux Klan.

"J. C. WALTON,
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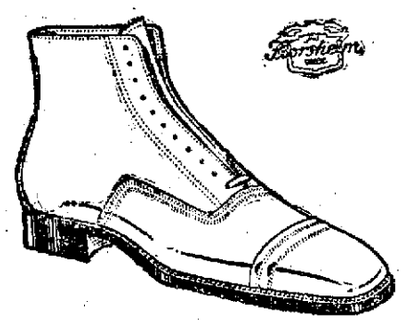

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LEGISLATORS MAY FACE FIRE OF GUARDSMEN

Call Issued To Able Bodied Men Between 21 And 45

Drastic Orders Issued By Oklahoma Ruler

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 25.—Governor Walton's opposition to the scheduled meeting of some members of the House of Representatives at the Capitol Wednesday noon was before the State and National in concrete form today following the issuance of a military order to the adjutant general regarding the proposed meeting last night.

Force limited only by the military resources of the State will be used in preventing the scheduled meeting of the Legislature in extraordinary session here Wednesday noon, according to military orders issued to Adjutant General Baird Markham by Governor Jack Walton.

All able bodied male citizens of the State between the ages of 21 and 45, were ordered to hold themselves in readiness with whatever arms they possessed or could secure to come to the assistance of the State, either at the call of the Governor or the adjutant general, according to the Governor's order.

"I am determined to stop this meeting of pretended members of the House of Representatives, admittedly Klansmen. The troops will be ordered to shoot to kill if that is necessary to prevent the assembly. I hope, however, that no such measures will be nuscessary," Walton declared.

In addition to being barred from assembling in the legislative halls at the Capitol, meeting at any other place in the State during the existence of State-wide martial law will be under

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GET WEDNESDAY'S BIG STORY IN THE MEXIA DAILY NEWS

Wednesday's big feature story throughout the United States, eminating from Oklahoma City, will make its first appearance in Mexia in The Mexia Daily News on the date of happening. It will be 15 hours ahead of its nearest competitor.

The News tells it first to Mexia, Teague, Groesbeck, Coolidge, Wortham, Tehuacana and all surrounding communities.

Don't fail to get your Mexia Daily News.

Boy Kept in Irons by His Father.

Harold Loomis

The Loomis family of Chicago, considered that it was necessary to chain up little Harold, 13, to make him "be good." They shackled him as shown, in a cellar coal pile. "Sometimes papa beat me with a strap," said Harold. Unresentful, penitent, his spirit broken, he was rescued by police. According to the Juvenile Court officials, Harold is not a bad boy.

To Have Racing At Seguin Fair

SEQUIN, Texas, Sept. 25.—Close to 100 running and harness horses are scheduled to compete for liberal purses in the Guadalupe county fair which opens here today to continue thru the 29th.

The five day racing card of the fair will exceed any other racing even held in this section this year.

Farm exhibits, automobile shows, and scores of other interesting exhibits will comprise the fair.

Twenty five carloads of carnival attractions will make up the "midway" of the exposition.

C. Jennings of Waco was in Mexia Monday on business.

J. T. Bracy of Corsicana was in the city Monday.

Legislators Now Gather In Oklahoma City And Say They Will Meet

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 25.—Legislators continued to assemble despite the state-wide order of the governor calling for all able bodied men between the ages of 21 and 45 to hold themselves in readiness to repulse any attempt of the legislators to meet at the capitol. Spokesmen for the legislators declared they would not be intimidated.

The trial of Grand Dragon Jewett was continued for two weeks on request of Jewett's attorneys.

House members plan to hold a caucus tonight and ask for funds to carry on the fight and complete details for the meeting.

Temporary Injunction at San Antonio

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 25.—A temporary injunction, reported granted by Federal Judge West of San Antonio, served on local Klan officials, seeks to restrain the local Klan from conferring further degrees in the Knights of Cemelias.

Guardsmen Tear Down Klan Cross On Sapulpa Hill

SAPULPA, Okla., Sept. 25.—Governor Walton's soldiers invaded Sapulpa last night and took down the Ku Klux Klan cross which has been standing on a hill overlooking the city.

Despite the fact that Governor Walton ordered all Klan crosses removed, the emblem has stood blazing forth on the hill every night since the orders went into effect.

An unsuccessful attempt was made last Wednesday night to remove the cross by placing acharge of dynamite at its base. This, however, did little damage, breaking a few light bulbs and weakening the base.

After the appearance here of a militia captain late yesterday afternoon, the general rumor was that the cross would be taken down. Shortly after 9 o'clock last night a truck carrying about fifteen soldiers drove into town. After driving around for a short time, they stopped at a local hotel and asked the way to get to the cross. After being informed as to the direction, they immediately set out for the hill. They were gone about 15 minutes, and then the lights on the cross were seen to go out. No other movements were seen on the hill.

Motion To Dismiss Charge of Murder Fails Of Approval

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Sept. 25.—A motion for the dismissal of the first degree murder charge against Walter S. Ward, alleged slayer of Clarence Peters, was denied by Justice Robert F. Wagner. The motion was made when the state rested its case shortly after court convened.

MRS. W. E. D. STOKES ACCUSES TWENTY.

F. D. Stokes and Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes

The prolonged and bitter divorce litigation between W. E. D. Stokes, New York multi-millionaire hotel hotel owner and sportsman, who a few years ago was the victim of the "shooting show girls," and his wife, a former Denver (Colo.) belle, reached a climax when Mrs. Stokes asked State's Attorney Crowe, of Chicago, for the indictment of a score of persons. She charges they have furnished her husband with false affidavits that she was the "Helen Norcross" who, twelve years ago, was an inmate of the notorious Everleigh Club, of Chicago. She asks prosecution for perjury and conspiracy. Minnie Everleigh, in Paris, has sworn that Mrs. Stokes was not "Helen Norcross." In his original divorce suit, Stokes named his own son as a co-respondent, but later withdrew the allegation. Mrs. Stokes is his second wife. She was completely exonerated in the original suit, but the trial judge died before the papers were signed, and the case must be tried again.

Bulgarians Recruit 10,000 Able Bodied Men To Stop Revolt

ATHENS, Sept. 25.—The Bulgarian Government is recruiting 10,000 militiamen to aid in quelling the agrarian-communist rebellion, messages from Sofia said today.

Despite the severe censorship which prevails in Sofia advices indicated the situation of the Zankoff government is endangered.

Miss Ruth Patton and Miss Janie Berry left Tuesday for Georgetown where Miss Berry will attend Southwestern University and Miss Patton after attending the opening of school will return Sunday where she will take up her position as teacher at Prairie Hill.

Baby Sex Problem Is Near Solution

BERLIN.—(By mail to United Press.)—The age-old problem of determining beyond peradventure in advance the sex of a baby is near solution.

While the "stetoscope method", recently reported, is almost infallible, it sometimes reports a girl instead of a boy and vice versa. Hence, German medical experts are now occupying themselves with achieving a system biologically perfect.

Dr. Ernst Grasfenberg, Berlin's foremost gynecologist, revealed to the United Press details of a new "serum", akin in its application to the famous "Tuberculin" test, which he believes will make it possible to tell months in advance of births when the offspring will be male or female.

Graefenberg's serum is developed from certain glanduler secretions of the male and female. If the male serum is applied and fails to react, the chances are that the forthcoming baby is female; but then the female serum is applied and gives a definite reaction, it proves the sex of the baby. This process is reversed to determine a boy baby.

Human Chain Saves Drowning Men

DENTON, Sept. 25.—Presence of mind on the part of W. E. Mann, saved himself from drowning while swimming here recently.

Mann, with a number of others, was swimming when he suddenly exhausted himself in the middle of the lake. He called for help and M. W. Deavenport swam to his assistance. Deavenport was nearly exhausted when he grabbed Mann's clothing and held him above water. Mann, with remarkable coolness, lay quiet and made no attempt to struggle while Deavenport struggled to keep afloat. Others in the party formed a human chain and succeeded in pulling both to safety.

GOLF UP IN THE AIR

EL PASO, Sept. 25.—Airplane golf, the newest innovation in the ancient Scottish pastime was introduced to local golfers when airplanes flew over the city links and players dropped balls from the cockpit of their machines.

The person dropping the ball nearest the hole won the game. No "holes in one" were reported.

Mrs. B. F. Bays of Tehuacana is in the city visiting her father, W. J. Robinson and family.

Germany Surrenders Without Condition

Walton Enters Newspaper Field With "The Record" Which Is To Be Published In Ku Klux Fight

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 25.—The first edition of "The Record," the official organ established by Governor Walton for an indefinite period, made its appearance upon the streets. Aldrich Blake is editor of the 4-page, 7-column folder which will be published daily. The paper carries extracts from the evidence taken before the Calvary court at Tulsa, together with proclamations issued by the governor since he began his fight against the Klan.

COLONEL MUST BE IRISH

PARIS.—It rains a lot in certain regions of the south of France in this season and on that account the troops garrisoned there escaped a lot of drills. The colonel of one regiment instructed his orderly to make an announcement regarding the daily exercises. Here is what he proclaimed: "In future drills will take place in the afternoon if it rains in the morning and in the morning if it rains in the afternoon.

Oklahoma Solons May Not Meet But Mexia Salesmen Surely Will

At the same hour in which the legislators of Oklahoma assert they will meet in extra session, the Mexia Salesmanship club will resume its weekly luncheons. President Lee Pierson has called all able minded, patriotic salesmen to be present. Any who would like to be members of the club are also cordially invited to be present. The meeting is expected to be peaceable.

President Pierson says there will be no "soap box" oratory and "punk" after dinner speeches, but the session will be featured with entertainment throughout. Bonnie Rose juvenile entertainer at the Palace theatre, Miss Rubie Pearce, Blues singer, and Miss Camille Gardner, singer and entertainer, all of the Palace, are scheduled to provide the fun of the hour. Other pain killers will be Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Littman. Mr. Littman will sing and Mrs. Littman, who is an accomplished reader, will render some of her choicest selections.

Mr. Pierson states that the following Wednesday is to be an "open day" and is expecting Lieut. Governor T. W. Davidson of Marshall here at that time.

The Bible Story Telling Hour will start next Tuesday, meeting at four o'clock instead of four-thirty at the Library. All the children are invited, you will enjoy an hour of reading, story telling and refreshments, so come.

A. B. Reynolds, J. Sandford Smith, N. Hollingsworth, Judge G. A. Walters were in Groesbeck Monday attending court.

Premiers Meet And Agree To Chancellor's Proposal

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—The German State Premiers, in their conference with Chancellor Stressemann today, fully approved the decision of the Government to abandon passive resistance in the Ruhr without further conditions.

Premiers declared their readiness to defend the unity of Reich. This is interpreted as the final step before Stressemann's public announcement, which is Germany's acknowledgement to the world that she has lost "war after war," and virtually throws herself on the mercy of the allies. Stressemann assumed full responsibility and will tell the facts dispassionately without excuses when he makes public announcement.

R. D. Able of Waco was a business visitor in Mexia Monday.

W. C. Davis of Corsicana was in the city Monday.

Radicalism Attacked By Speaker Before First Session of American Bankers Gathered in Atlantic City

Ruhr and Rhine Leaders Adopt Solemn Unity Vow

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—The German Government today was preparing to attempt negotiations with England and Belgium to obtain their aid in reaching a basis for settlement of the reparations question.

Following Chancellor Stresemann's official announcement of abandonment of passive resistance in the Ruhr, without conditions, the Government looked to Brussels and London to obtain leniency from France.

Earl reports indicated the people as a whole were accepting the statement more readily than had been expected.

As has been reported previously by the United Press, the Government is certain the question of return of expelled and arrested German citizens to their homes in the occupied areas can be adjusted easily, with the exception of a few cases where the French are expected to retain prisoners at least temporarily.

At the opening of yesterday's conferences preceding the Chancellor's official announcement of surrender, Herr Stresemann reviewed the internal situation and said the nation could not bear any continuance of resistance.

Last week's payments into the Ruhr alone amounted to the equivalent of more than $5,000,000 for support of resistance, Stresemann said.

Diplomatic efforts to reach an agreement were fruitless, Stresemann continued, confirming previous dispatches of the United Press which pointed out that the offer through the Belgian Minister failed because of France's refusal to accept the German condtions.

A continuance of resistance could not help Germany's stiuation, the Chancellor said.

Following Stresemann's explanation all the delegates attending the conferences agreed to surrender, although at first there was bitter opposition from the Deutsche Nationalists.

Today's developments cannot be forecast. Herr Knilling, the Bavarian Premier, already is in Berlin and has indicated he will balk at accepting the decision.

The Ruhr and Rhine leaders, how-

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ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 25.—The forty-ninth annual convention of the American Bankers Association was opened with a speech by President J. H. Puelicher, who made a vigorous assault on socalled "radicals." He justified the capitalistic system as having brought to all people more comfort and greater leisure than any other system yet tried. He declared, however, there should be no child labor, seven day labor week, nor "treacherous business cycles."

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GREAT MOTHERS GLORIFIED

"Mother, Home and Heaven", was discussed by Evangelist Garrison at the big tent Sunday. In the editorial of the day, by Henry Ellis of The Denison Herald, "Marriages and Slavery" is the subject considered.

The woman who heard the address and who reads the editorial must feel elevated. They stress the sovereignty of a "Great Mother." All mothers may be "great." However, being a great mother is a work of a lifetime. It is early morning labor, all day sacrifice and service, and late night praying. It begins before the babe is born. It endures until the roses of womanhood pale and life wilts away. It dreams while helpless infancy is pressed to a tender mother's loving bosom; it prays and plans and provides while the child waxes in strength and wisdom. Through the succeeding years, it builds hope upon the foundations silently and steadfastly laid in the rapid flight of time. It may be disappointed but it never surrenders.

The child may stray afar and become lost in the rambling paths of the Prodigal; and return to her side, in the home or under the sod, a broken shattered wreck of degenerate humanity, but the "Great Mothers" often have taken these poor fragments and built new temples of service and beauty.

They can love better than life, stand by the scaffold or at the foot of the cross.

The world speaks of great women, meaning those who have achieved prominence in the busy world of public affairs. But few great women ever become great mothers; the public prevents it, becoming selfish in constant absorbing demands. "Work, talents, attentions become the wall between the soul of the child and the mind of the mother."

The world is better by far because it has more great mothers than great women. They are in America; they are in Texas; they are in Mexia; we have them in our homes. Like the stars in the encircling universe which we cannot accurately measure, weigh or appreciate, great mothers often serve in obscurity, but God's eye is ever upon them. Without them, there would be no Home and Heaven itself would soon be forgotten.

Dallas has adopted the Community Chest system of taking care of the charitable and humanitarian organizations operating in that center. There are 29 various organizations, each exacting support from Dallas folk, that are members of the central organization. Mexia citizens frequently speak of the many organizations doing charity work here. There are about three in Mexia against Dallas' 29. Are you not glad you live in Mexia? But Mexia would act wisely in considering the community chest idea for this community.

European scientists have produced the aurora borealis on a miniature scale by the use of the rare gas krypton.

A compass for automobiles has been invented that is insulated from the magnetic influence of the metal of a car.

On an uninhabited island south of Japan, owned by that nation, extensive phosphorus deposits have been discovered.

A central compartment for ice that keeps it away from the other contents features a new pitcher for cold beverages.

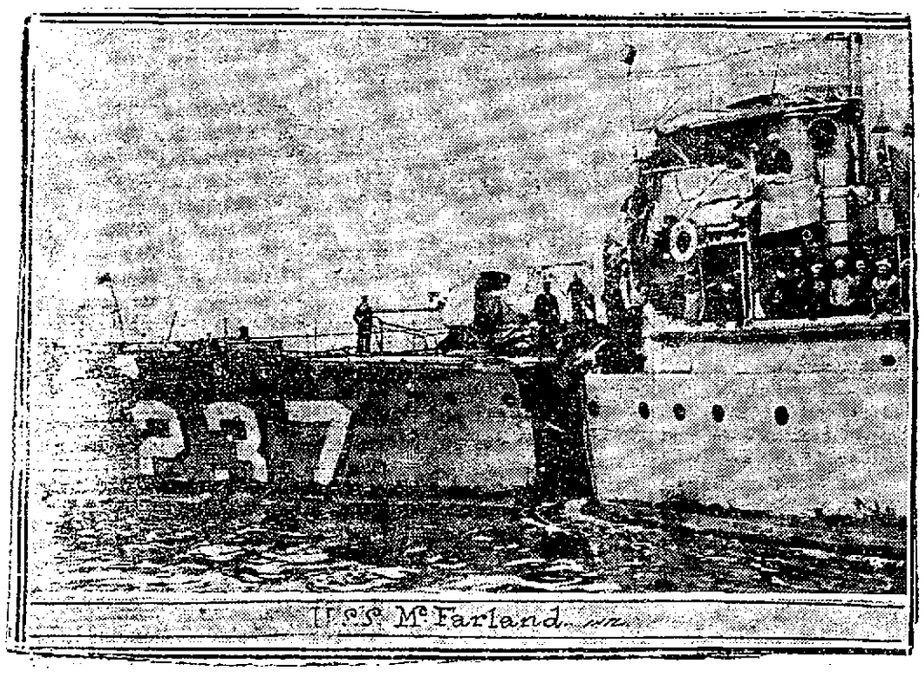
FOR SALE—50x115 lot, third lot E. of Canton on north side of Sumpter street. This lot must sell. $250.00 is the price asked. R. G. Purcell at P. O. 7 a. m. to 8 a. m. or 11 a. m. to 12 noon. 25J3

BERMUDA ONION sets, turnip and seed oates for sale. C. J. Sterling, S. Canton St. 25J3

PACKARD Twin-Six leaving Mexia for Corsicana at 5:30 a. m. and leaving Corsicana for Mexia 6:00 p. m. Call Lee Beezley at Jimmie's Cafe. 25P7

TORONTO, Ont.—Total gold and silver production from Ontario mines for first six months of 1923 were $8,646,945.

U. S. WARSHIP RAMMED BY BATTLESHIP.



The number of serious accidents that have lately shocked the United States Navy has been added to by the collision between the superdreadnaught Arkansas and the destroyer McFarland, which occurred during night maneuvers of the black fleet in Cape Cod Bay. The destroyer, almost cut in half, was escorted into Boston by the transport Sturtevant. One man was killed.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

MARRIAGE AND SLAVERY

(Denison Herald)

Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont appears to be pretty well fed up on marriages, since she regards it as slavery and for that reason would not recommend it for any girl. The lady ought to know whereof she speaks since she was twice married herself, the first time the chains proving so galling that she was forced to break them, or did do so whether it was necessary or not. And the second venture, if it were slavery, she endured it until death dissolved the union and released her from the shackles.

As president of the National Woman's party, the major portion of which is composed of maiden women approaching spinsterhood, some of them having already arrived, others who have been disappointed if not in affairs of the heart in some other phase of human activity, Mrs. Belmont has absorbed quite a deal of the dissatisfaction and discontent that has ever marked a distinctively woman's movement. And simply because some women whose conception of the highest duty a woman can perform is in keeping her home beautiful and attractive, leaving her husband to fight the world's battles, the lady classes them with the "clinging vine type" who never contribute much to the world.

We are curious to know just what would become of the world were it not for the "clinging vine type" of women? What would be the status of society and of civilization were the ideas of Mrs. Belmont universally adopted and marriage shunned by young women? What would Mrs. Belmont recommend in lieu of the marriage relation to the end that the race be perpetuated without doing violence to our present social status? What rights is it possible for women to be clothed with that rises higher than those they now enjoy? And what greater contribution to the peace and happiness of mankind can they make than in elevating the homes and raising sons and daughters for the service of the country?

"The intelligent men are with us," Mrs. Belmont is quoted as declaring. "Among the men our only opponents are the small town men and the church organizations." The lady will have to admit that the "small town men" as well as church organizations wield a powerful influence in the land which she will find pitted against her and her party if she or it seeks to destroy the marriage relation. The "small town men" and churches have saved society many times, and they will save it again from such forces of evil.

This Joke Was On Proprietor; Not The Negro

PARIS, Sept. 25.—Black princes, sons of kings and ex-kings and others, are playing havoc with the established order of things in the night life of Paris. All Montmartre is agog about the latest episode in which a "gentleman of color" played a leading part and which cost the proprietor of an all-night restaurant very popular with American tourists close to three thousand dollars.

Jazz joy was at its height when a couple of immaculately garbed men entered the place, wearing dinner coats decorated with orchids. One of them was coal black, which provoked a certain amount of hostile criticism on the part of the Americans present, but the pair established themselves at a central table.

"Of course, Prince," said the white man to his companion, speaking in French, but with a marked Anglo-Saxon accent, "you know nothing goes here but champagne. What brand does your highness desire?"

That "prince" and "your highness" caused the waiter and the majordomo to curve their spines. The service at that table was of the best. When the bill was presented to the "prince", his companion presented a hundred-dollar bill in payment. The change was brought in French bills of small denominations. The prince's friend called for the proprietor of the place.

"Montmartre," he explained, "is not a safe place for honest folk carrying large sums of money at night. Would you mind giving me a couple of hundred francs only in banknotes and write me a check for the balance?"

Nothing easier. Mr. Proprietor signed a check for eight hundred francs, the body of which had been filled in by his aristocratic guest. When he visited his bank two days later he was astounded to be informed that the check had been cashed for forty-eight thousand francs. Investigation disclosed that the words eight hundred had been carefully erased and the higher sum inserted. The fraud was not apparent when the check was presented. The check had been endorsed by "James Brenner."

"Brenner" has vanished. His companion, the "prince" was found by the police. He explained that he had received a hundred francs to be prince for a night and knew nothing about the white man except that the latter had explained that he wanted to play a joke on the dance place.

Ed. Survey Com. Meet Austin Today

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 25.—Members of the Educational Survey Commission of Texas were scheduled to meet here today to receive a list of persons considered desirable to act as directors of the survey.

The list was to be submitted by a sub committee of the Commission consisting of Dr. P. W Horn, president of Southwestern University, Dr. S. P. Brooks, of Baylor University and Gus Taylor, of Tyler.

The object of the survey is to increase the efficiency of state schools Every educational institution from the smallest rural school to the higher institutions of learning is to be included.

Governor Pat M. Neff is president of the Commission and Tom Finty, Jr., of Dallas is secretary.

THE END OF THE WAY

By SADIE KIRGAN

Sometimes I wonder
What I shall say
When I come to the evening,
The end of my way.

Shall I look back
With vain regrets,
And will there be things
I'd like to forget?

This thing I know
I should like to say
When I come to the evening,
The end of my way;

I gave to the world
Through the passing years,
The best that I had
Of smiles and tears.

HOUSTON LEADS IN HEALTH

HOUSTON, Sept. 25.—Houston is the healthiest city in the state, according to a report of Dr. A. H. Flickwir, city health officer.

Houston's death rate for the week of September 17 was only 8.4, compared with Fort Worth, 9.4, Dallas, 10.6; and San Antonio, 10.2.

Billy Buckner left this morning for Dallas to enter the Dental College for a regular four years course. Billy graduated from the Mexia High school in the class of 1920, and has attended Baylor University at Waco the past three years.

CLINE-RAGLAND

Ernest Cline of Groesbeck, Route 1, and Miss Annie Ragland of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. Jeffers, pastor of the First Baptist church, last Thursday night. The wedding took place in front of the revival tent, on Main street, the couple remaining in their car while the ceremony was performed. This took place just before the night's service, while many automobiles were gathering. The street was blockaded a short while during the wedding but none protested when they heard "what the trouble was." The News extends best wishes for the happy couple.

Joe Harrison was a Houston visitor Monday.

Rev. W. H. Wallace, Jr., pastor of Methodist church in Denison, is in th city visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs W. H. Wallace, and shaking hands wit his boyhood friends, of whom he has many living in Mexia, where he was reared. He has just closed a successful revival at the First Methodist church in Waco.

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Tulsa, Okla., Feb. 14, 1923.

Dr. Edwin DeBarr,
P. O. Box 508,
Norman, Oklahoma.

Dear Doctor:

Please find enclosed $20.00, Electokon and one year's dues as a member of the Imperial Klan for John (Jack) Galloway Walton, Governor of Oklahoma.

This work was pulled by Dr. W. T. Tilly of Muskogee, Klan Giant and Great Kliliff of this province, and is one of the best pieces of work that has been pulled by a Klansman in the history of the state.

Dr. Tilly made a special trip from Muskogee to Oklahoma City and gave the Governor the work, on my request and with your consent. I recommend that inasmuch as Dr. Tilly has pulled this work, which has been extremely hazardous, that you should recommend him for a life membership.

Please have the Imperial Palace send to me personally the Imperial Passport and case for Governor Walton, that I may have same delivered to him. It is necessary that this matter be kept absolutely secret, and if the passport were to be mailed to the Governor, or to you, it might get into the wrong hands.

Governor Walton does not want anyone, not even Earl, to know of this. I believe it wise for you not to approach him in any way for the present. Two new members of the University Board are being considered.

With kindest personal regards and best wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours I.T.S.U.E.,
Minor Meriwether

Great Titan, Province #3,
Realm of Oklahoma.

Here is an alleged Ku Klux Klan letter, signed "Minor Meriwether, Grand Titan, Province No. 3, Realm of Oklahoma," which purports to show that Governor Jack Walton, who has declared martial law in the State in his fight on the Klan, is really a member of the Knights of the Nighties. Governor Walton indignantly denied that he ever joined the order and offered a reward of $1,000 to anyone who could prove he ever became a member of the Klan.

Salvation Army Does Big Work In Mexia During Past 45 Days

During the past six weeks Captain George Laing, of the Mexia Salvation Army corps had a busy period. He and Mrs. Laing were busy from early until late in their service to Mexia. From August the first to September fifteenth, they have been supplying 20 people daily with bread, rolls and cakes. The Bon Ton Bakery and Jimmie's Cafe and Bakery supply the bread to the salvationists for this purpose. The families, with a total of 39 persons. These were properly investigated and found to be worthy cases. On an average $5.00 worth of groceries and bakers goods have been given away during this 45 day period.

32 meals were given away at a local cafe, 16 of which were for a sick man, who has also been provided lodging, drugs and medical attention.

414 garments have been placed with people who were in need of them.

3 others were given medical attention.

5 were given employment.

48 were interviewed and advised.

2 families were given beds and mattress complete.

205 War Crys were given away in non Christian homes.

Captain Laing stated that he appreciates the co-operation given in Mexia which enabled this service to be accomplished.

WATER AT TEAGUE ANALYZES PURE

TEAGUE, Texas, Sept. 25.—According to an analysis made by the State Board of Health, the water furnished by the city of Teague is pure and free from all germs of any nature, and ranks very high in that respect. The analysis was made at the request of City Manager E. B. St. Clair whose policy is to have the water tested occasionally. The Teague water supply is obtained from deep wells and the city also has a purification plant. The water is soft and cool as it comes from the ground and is what is known as "freestone" water from which this county obtains its name.

zSoap into which steel wool is introduced before the cakes are moulded has been invented for scouring aluminum utensils.

Ground Broken For A $12,500.00 Catholic Church

Several days ago ground was broken for the new St. Mary's church building at the corner of Bonham and Sumpter streets, and the foundation is now being poured.

The building will be a brick veneer, 37½x76 feet, to cost about $12,500 without the furnishings. Hope Bros. of Mexia have the contract and the building is to be completed by December 1st, and will add one more first class church building to Mexia's already splendid list of places of worship.

Father Kelley is loud in his praises of Mexia people—not only Catholics but non-Catholics as well, for he states that more than half the money raised by him for this building was contributed by members of other churches, for which he is grateful.

Since the coming of the oil boom the congregation of this church has grows to such proportions that the old building was no longer adequate either in size or equipment to the prestige of Mexia as a city of churches so the building of a new home was necessary.

Hemmorrhoids— Piles Cured Or Nothing To Pay

No man or woman need suffer another day from any pain, soreness or distress arising from Hemorrhoids or Piles, now that a Rochester doctor's prescription, known as MOAVA SUPPOSITORIES, can be obtained for a moderate price. You will be amazed to see how quickly they act even in long standing cases. All good druggists will supply you on the money back is dissatisfied plan.—(Adv.)

For advertising purposes there has been invented a parchment shade for electric lamps that is revolved by their heat.

A. & M. and Swanee Start Season With Only Light Games

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 25.—Both Sewanee and Texas A. & M., the teams that supply the opening feature for the State Fair here at the Stadium on Saturday, October 13, were in action in the past week-end. Both had scheduled light games with no intention of getting real action and both came through with flying colors, Sewnee over Carson-Newman and the Aggies over Sam Houston Normal. The opening games gave no indication of the class of the two teams this year.

Head Coach Bible of the Aggies was not even inclined to let the followers of his team, regarded as the most promising of Conference contenders, get an idea of what he will regard as his first string line-up. His team was running signals against the Huntsville squad and he used practically every man on his roster. Coach Bennett of the Tigers would probably look in envy on the roll of huskies Bible sent into Saturday's game, for the Tigers, the thin Purple line of the South for twenty years, are seldom able to put more than two elevens on the practice gridiron and the squad that starts is the team that goes thru from first to last.

Out of the College Station game flashed the names of two new stars for the Aggies in Pinson and Fay Wilson. Both come from the Freshmen of '22, and both are North Texas products; Pinson of Forney and Wilson of Honey Grove. The two can be relied upon as first string backs this year, Pinson playing the position the older Aggie star of the same name covered two seasons back, and Wilson, offensive back and defensive end in his high school days, used in the Aggie backfield to make the most of his triple threat propensities.

The Sam Houston game was played with but ten days training. Another week will lie behind the Aggies when they sweep into action against Howard Payne in the coming week, and by the time Southwestern has been passed, Bible will have his squad whipped into shape for the big part of the schedule that starts with the Sewnee game.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Munger have returned to their home at Abilene after a most pleasant visit with Fred Karner and daughter, Miss Frederika.

Italy has prohibited the manufacture of matches containing white phosphorus or their importation, sale possession.

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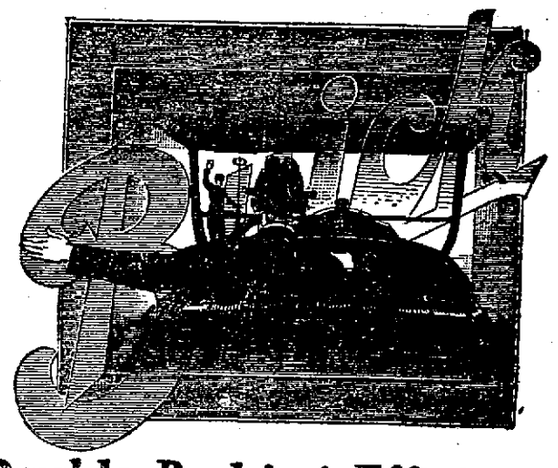
Letters are beginning to arrive daily from the many young ladies and gentlemen of Mexia who are attending college and universities, in which they state that they are getting into their year's work in earnest. Quite a number of them have requested that The News be mailed to them daily and the home newspaper is glad to go to them like "a letter from home" to be referred to many times daily.

E. L. Smith spent Sunday with his family here, returning to Corsicana Monday.



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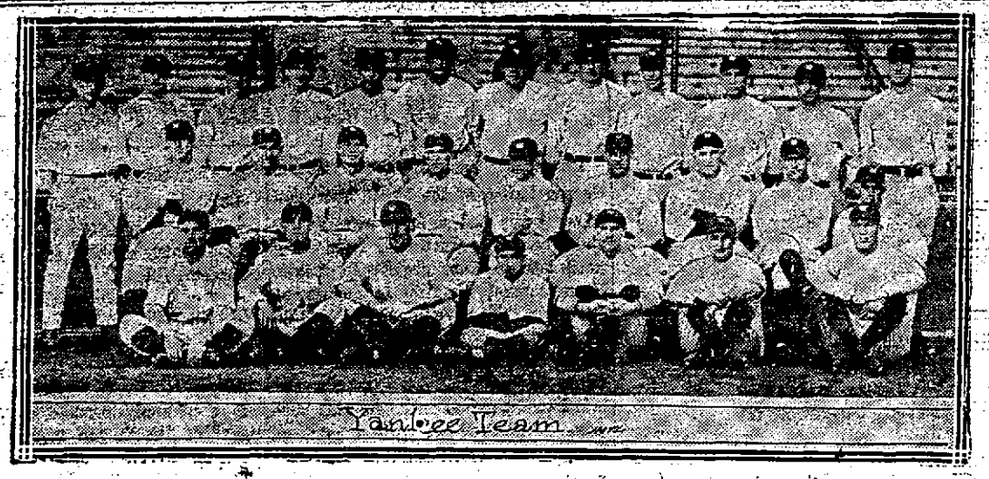

S. M. U. and T. C. U. To Play First Game On Armstrong Field

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 25.—Speculation over the lineup that will be decided upon by Coaches Ray Morrison and Ewing Freeland to open the season here Saturday is the big topic of conversation around the S. M. U. campus this week. The Mustangs follow their usual custom in opening the season with Theron Fouts' North Texas Normal team from Denton, and while the locals expect to defeat the T. I. A. A. team, they know that they are in for a fight. Fouts' the old Baylor star, has threatened to wipe out last season's runaway victory and must be reckoned with.

Morrison and Freeland are expected to give all their eligibles an opportunity to participate in the game if the state of the score justifies it, but the team of veterans selected to start the game is creating the greatest interest.

Last year's freshmen team was regarded as an exceptionally strong one and the eligible players whi will be battling for places on the varsity this fall are greater than the few vacancies left by graduation and departure. The coaches have open minds as to the men who will make the team. Ability, not veteran experience counts. Consequently, the early games will serve, above everything else, to give a good line on the prospective first string that will battle out the Southwestern Conference campaign.

The players that make the S. M. U. team this year must be fighters. That is a certainty. And the best indication of the spirit the coaches have injected thesquad is the daily scrimmage practice that began Saturday for the first time. Every man on the team is out there fighting for his position and Armstrong Field already begins to look like a battle field.

Saturday's game will be played at Armstrong Field.

Cause of Pimples Explained

It is easy to understand why so many people never have been able to get rid of their pimples, blotches, bumps and other skin troubles, which keep them from being attractive, when you consider that few of them know what is causing them, and naturally don't know when they are not doing the right thing to get rid of them.

So-called skin diseases are caused by poisons from the perspiration becoming congested in the tiny pores and glands of the skin because they can't get out. Unhealthy skin holds them back and you know what must happen when you continue to let this condition exist. For this reason "skin lotions," etc., can't possibly help you any. You need what is known as Black and White Ointment which heals the sores, builds up the tissue of the skin, makes it active, so it naturally expels all the acid poisons which the system must throw off through the pores. Then pimples, blotches, "breaking out," eczema, etc., quickly disappear.

Black and White Ointment is economically priced in generous packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have it.—(Adv.)

TEAGUE, Texas, Sept. 25.—Lieutenant Governor T. W. Davidson of Marshall, has advised friends at Teague that he will deliver several lectures upon "Constitutional Government" during the next few weeks, and arrangements will be made to have him deliver his first address at Teague. Mr. Davidson is expected to outline his views in these lectures which are preliminary to his active campaign for Governor in the primaries next year.

President Coolidge Has Cousin in Texas Strawberry Farmer

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 25.—In a little weatherbeaten farmhouse in the midst of a huge strawberry patch, a cousin of the President of the United States, spends his time raising strawberries.

His name is Woodson Philip Coolidge, aged 64, and he came to Pasadena, a few miles from Houston down the ship channel, twenty-seven years ago.

The same broad high forehead, the same Yankee nose, and the same odd twist to the mouth—the resemblance to the president is marked.

"I don't lay much claim to being kin to the president" Coolidge said, "but I reckon I must be. Folks say we look so much alike and some of my boys look like him right smart."

W. P. Coolidge is a democrat.

"My father was a Republican, but there's no use wasting your vote down here," he explained.

George Prendergast of the Humphreys Oil Company has been transferred to the Beaumont district where he is now engaged with the construction department of the Pure Oil Company. He has made many friends in Mexia who regret to learn of his transfer.

SILENT SALUTE FOR DEAD ON ARMISTICE DAY

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 25.—At the hour when the guns on the western front finally stopped firing, November 11, at 11 o'clock, Legionaires throughout America will stand silently for 30 seconds in prayer for the "buddies" left behind.

Garland W. Powell, director of Legion's National American committee, announces that posts in all cities had made arrangements to conduct this simultaneous tribute to those who gave their lives for America.

Following this impressive ceremony, roll call for those who went to war from each community will be read by post adjutants. As the names of those who gave their lives are read, Legionaires designated by the post commanders will give brief outlines of their war records.

In the parades of veterans to be held throughout the country, Powell has suggested that veterans of the Civil and Spanish-American wars march before the Legionaires.

A New Sure Treatment for Piles

We note with satisfaction that a well known physician in his hospital and private practice has discovered that Moone's Emerald Oil will remove the most obstinate Piles with just a few applications and stop all itching, burning, bleeding and distress.

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A new electlic insulation is claimed to be proof against harm by any temperature less than that required to fuse copper.

J. K. Hughes, big oil operator of Mexia, has about completed arrangements for drilling a well on land belonging to T. C. Westbrook of Waco which is about a mile northeast of the Post Oak well. The entrance of Mr. Hughes in the Chilton field is the most encouraging indication up to now of the faith men extensively engaged in the oil game in Texas have in the territory contiguous to Chilton.

The many friends of Judge I. W. Keys will regret to learn that he is confined to his bed this week, suffering the discomforts of the "flu" or some such ailment.

An ice chest, a buffet and a special locker to hold a golf bag are included in the equipment of a new sports model automobile.

American interests plan to establish a diamond cutting plant in British Guiana, where the production of the gems is increasing.

A. T. Shulz is able to be up ag after severe suffering over a pe of nearly two weeks. It is the h of his great number of friends that will suffer no relapse.

A Russian has invented a firep building material that resembles pa and can be made with paper mak machinery.

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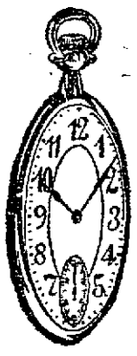

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Surprise Her Candy Day!

Fellows, here's a chance to win her favor. Take her a box of candy from our store. She'll appreciate the best—for the best is none too good for her. We have many sizes from which to choose.

Chocolate Shoppe

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Real Sport and Squabbling

Far be it from Mexia or it's paper to cast any reflection on any city membership of the Texas Association of Baseball. But with no direct inference to any one the old adage that "when thieves fall out just men get their deserts," seems to take on a significance and a newer and broader meaning when we think of the recent "squable" the two cities of Austin and Sherman have engaged in while trying to settle who's who in the Texas Association circles.

This is very pertinent from the mere fact that Mexia was by all that was fair and square beaten out of the first division pennant honors. Mexia and its club, fighting a sporting game from start to finish won by all that was fair. It was not chance that lost them the honor of the first division or split season award. But scheming and under-handed manipulation that savors of the petty jealousy that goes with defeat. Mexia won. She won on the field of sport and with fair treatment on the part of her opponents would have carried her victory on thru and which ever team won the last half there would have been a play-off that would have been a credit to the baseball world. But now what has happened? The Austin and Sherman teams have decided that each are right. There will be no play-off and citizens of the Association loop that supported the teams will not have the privilege to see the two best teams fight it out. Sport is right and fair, else it is wrong and a cheat to all. Not alone to the participants in the game but to the onlookers, it is such capers as this that makes the public realize that the best team does not always win. It is such as this that breeds suspicion in the heart of the citizen that wants honest sport. No matter if he loses, he wants to know that he lost right. So it is that sport loses it's prestige,—loses that one steel hoop of cleavage that binds it to the nation as the play of the great. Rob baseball of the honest chance a team has to win or lose and you slip the knife of commercialism into the vitals of the sport. Then season after season, when the different leagues are organized it is then that co-operation of each citizen that you need is denied. Why? For the reason that no man wants to take part in or help support a so-called sport when it's a toss-up as to who is the smoothest gamester and trickster.

These lines are written with no "post mortem" in view. But to try and save baseball as a clean honest sport and when it ceases to be you will have no more league baseball. The public has the last word on and in this matter and it is the public that pays the salaries. So you that handle these matters—If you would keep baseball alive and the manly sport up to the standard that is American,—look well to your future conduct and the acts of those you can influence in the right way.

A great ball player whom we all know fell from his high pedestal last season for the reason that he became greater than organized baseball in his own estimation. This season he has had a sensational come back and has just been awarded the highest honors of the game. Why? He realized his error, his smallness and that there was only one fair, right way to play ball or any other sport. That is the way you do business—the right way.

Don't blame the game,—you that support it. But censure the higher ups who manage it, and make their living that way. Cleanse the game of all but clean able and capable men and you cleanse the game and make it what it should be,—"the Great American Game."

EXPERIENCED FLIERS DIE

WASHINGTON, Sept 24.—The two American army balloonists killed in the destruction of the army balloon S-6 in Holland were experienced flyers, army air service officials said today. Lieut. Robert S. Olmstead, a native of Sheldon, Vt., was 37 years of age and was attached to the army air service depot at Middletown, Pa.

A light filter for photographing cloud effects that will fit the lens of almost any pocket camera has been invented.

Blake Smith was a Corsicana visitor Monday.

Wills Now on Dempsey Black List.

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—When the court decided that Harry Wills had no legal rights to force his way into a contest for the world's heavyweight championship with Jack Dempsey he lost what little chance he had remaining for the title.

Wills may be held up as a martyr, in that circumstances seemed to militate against his chances to win the championship and a fortune, but when the facts are considered dispassionately, the big colored fighter has no one to blame but himself.

He had many supporters up to the time he sought to prevent the Dempsey-Firpo fight at a time when all the arrangements had been completed and when Tex Rickard had spent more than $50,000 in preliminary arrangements. It placed him in the position of a bad sport and it cost him a lot of public sympathy.

Had Wills been that aggressive in forcing the issue a year or two ago he would have had a crack at Dempsey before Firpo and he would have had a better chance to win the championship two years ago, because it is known that he has slipped considerably in the last year. It is only natural that he could not retain whatever form he possessed without fighting.

Firpo worked himself into a bout for the title by building himself up on a lot of fights. He wanted a crack at the championship and he submitted to the process of being built up to the position of the logical contender by fighting everyone he was asked to meet.

Wills would have had the bout a long time ago if he had agreed or been willing to do the same thing. When he started out to build himself up, he made himself look bad, especially in the bout with Clem Johnson, and he apparently decided then that he had only one shot in him and that was good for a losing end with Dempsey.

He was offered $10,000 to meet George Godfrey in one of the bouts on the Milk Fund show, where Firpo and Jess Willard appeared, but he turned down the offer, saying that he was too good to appear in anything that looked like a preliminary.

Firpo might have considered himself as being better than a preliminary fighter, but he had business sense enough to see the opportunity of making such a good showing that the fans would consider him the best of the lot on the card.

Wills could have gone on in a preliminary and he might have made such a fine showing that the crowd given the verdict that Willard and Firpo were both hams and that Wills was the real contender for the title.

The colored fighter would have been asked to meet Firpo, but it is almost sure that he would have refused.

Floyd Johnson, the young Iowa heavyweight, was willing to fight Wills, and several promoters were willing to offer a fancy purse, but Wills would not consider the fight.

While other contenders were fighting around and trying to force themselves into a title bout, Wills sat back and wept that he was being given a raw deal, but he made no move to help himself and in the boxing game there are few helping hands extended for anyone.

Mexia Hi To Play Mart

Coach Poteet and his fighting high school eleven will journey to Mart Friday, September 28 to play the gridiron representatives of that city.

The Mart eleven has one of the best teams it has had in years, it is understood and will make trouble for all teams in this section it is supposed.

Coach Poteet has not made any statement as to the lineup of the local eleven but it will be in after the Mart boys no doubt. There are quite a number of fans and boosters, including the high school pep squad, who are going to make the trip with the boys.

DIRECTORS SEARCHES FOR GIRL WITH SOUL OF A MUSICIAN FOR FILM— GETS DOROTHY MACKAILL

"Can the soul of a musician be transferred to the screen?"

Edwin Carewe, who made "Mighty Lak' a Rose," the First National release which will be shown at the National Theatre Wednesday and Thursday. And he declares he has accomplished the feat in this picture through the acting of Dorothy Mackaill, a pretty young musician, who plays the part of "Rose Duncan."

When Mr. Carewe began casting for the picture he looked about for an actress, as he describes it "whose soul expressed music." More then two hundred young women applied to him. All were rejected. The director was in despair.

"I know just what I want," he said, "but I can't get the type. I want something never before seen on the screen. I want a girl who is a violinist—a good violinist—who has a musical soul and who will play the violin with such truth and sincerity that her spirit of music will make itself apparent on the screen. I know it can be done. All I want is the girl."

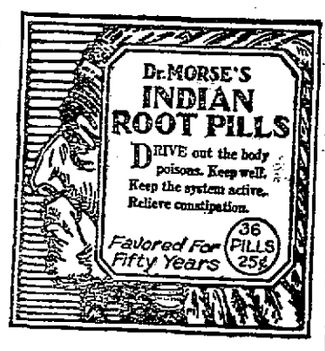
"Perhaps I can find her," Anders Randolf, who appears in the production. He introduced Dorothy Mackaill to the director. Carewe appraised her critically—a slender girl with wistful eyes and delicately moulded, expressive features. She played the violin. She was a pianist. She loved her music. Her whole life was wrapped up in it.

"You'll do," said the director after a few tests during which Miss Mackaill acted and played a Stradivarius which has been handed down in her family for several generations.

Mr. Carewe is now delighted with his selection, for Miss Mackaill has fulfilled his dream of transferring the soul of music to the screen.

The play deals with regeneration through music. During the taking of most emotional scenes the music is furnished by an orchestra off the set, but in some of the biggest scenes the emotions of the actors are swayed by Miss Mackaill's music. No other music is necessary.

Miss Mackaill, although only eighteen years old, has worked in motion picture studios of England, France and America. She has been on the speaking stage as well as in pictures.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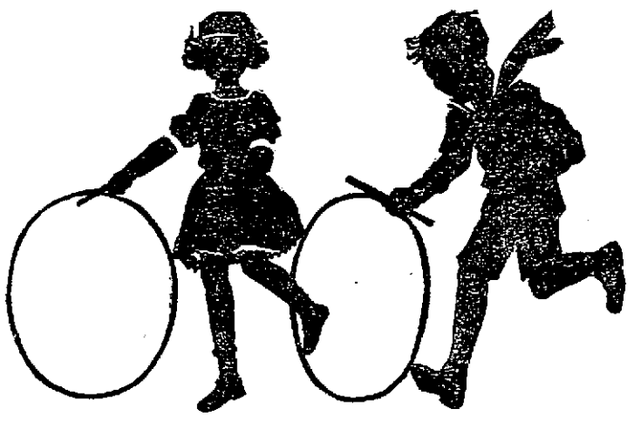
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The play was a comedy drama of the better class dealing with the family affairs of a very rich man and the members of this clever company displayed their talent by the way they put it over, as each line was put over for its full value, collectively and individually this company gave a performance that is seldom equalled even by the higher priced road shows.

Mr. Fay Hammond and Miss Tessie Wilson played the leading parts in "Two Partners" and in their intensly dramatic scenes held their audience spell bound. Mr. Hammond also had a musical number in the show that was well received.

Billy Earle as the villian of the play gave a very good performance and at all times was the bad man he was supposed to be.

Lillion Colson the 90-horse-power soubrette played a very clever part and her number was a big hit, taking many encores.

The comedy of the show was in the hands of George Reno and Ben D. Williams and they secured many laughs as the "two-a-more" who were in Mexia for the first time and determined to paint the town red, even if it cost a dime. George Reno's bit with the girls was very funny and had to come back and do it many times.

Other specialties were by Kitty Jones, Bobby Williams and Roy Harris all of them going over big.

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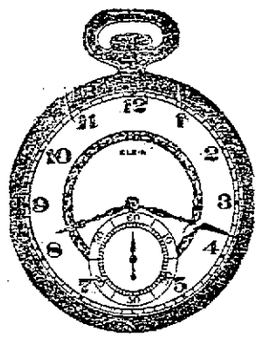

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New Coats Have Slender Lines—Fur and Embroidery Trim Wraps

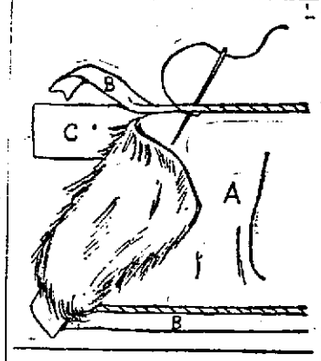
Harmonizing with the lovely colors of Autumn are the new coats in brown and the wood shades of marvella, fashona, duvetyn and other materials. They must be trimmed with fur or embroidery, or both, to be ultra-smart.

Of the many lovely styles for Autumn and Winter wraps, none is prettier than this one with straight lines and soft, flowing folds. To make it one will need 3¾ yards of material 54 inches wide. The bishop sleeves are gathered into narrow cuffs of self-material, which are trimmed with fur. Above the fur banding are rows of hand-embroidery executed in border effect in rope silk and metal threads.

The lower edge of the coat reflects the liking of Paris for circular flounces, while the front remains flat. The neck is gathered to a band of fur and the belt is of a silken cord secured with two fancy buckles and finished with tassels. The coat may be lined with crepe de chine or satin.

The figure (A) shows how the fur is lined and interlined before it is added to the coat as a trimming. Take a piece of tape and whip along the edges (B). Place a piece of cardboard against the fur to keep it flat and when the fur is to be cut use a razor blade for the purpose instead of a scissor.

The kimono sleeves are cut in one with the front and back of the coat, then very deep cuffs added to give the fashionable length. Paris is paying very great attention to sleeves this season, giving first place to long sleeves for street wear. The bishop effect, which is long and full and gathered into a narrow band, is one of the most popular designs seen in Paris just now.



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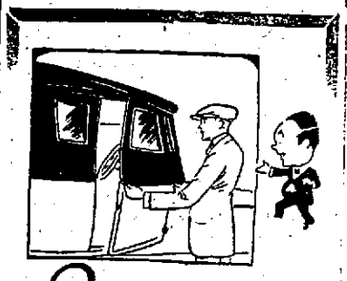

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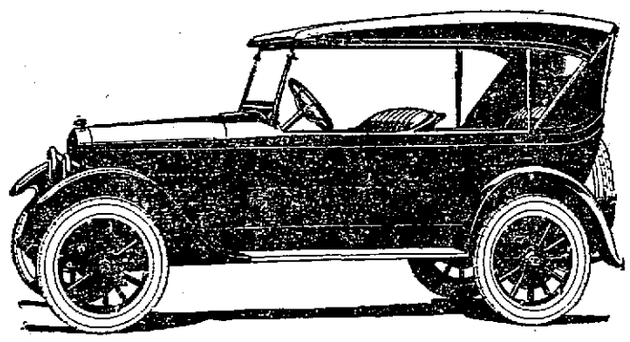

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An underwritted contract dated Sept. 22, 1923, has been entered into by the company with J. A. Elkins for the purpose of the sale of the treasury stock owned by the company amounting to 31,560 shares. This contract will be submitted to the stockholders for ratification and approval; and for the transaction of such other business as will be properly brought before the meeting.

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You are hereby commanded to summon M. F. Parsley by making publication of this citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court for Precinct No. 4, of Limestone County, Texas, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Mexia, Texas, on the second Tuesday in October, A. D., 1923, the same being the 9th day of October, A. D., 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of August, A. D., 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 736, wherein E. C. Nicholson is plaintiff, and M. F. Parsley is defendant, said petition alleging that the defendant is indebted to the plaintiff, in the sum of $68.55, as a balance due on a verified account, which is long past due and unpaid and that though often requested, defendant has failed and refused to pay the same or any part thereof, except the sums that have been credited upon the verified account and that by reason for the same, the defendant has become liable to this plaintiff in the further sum of $20.00, as attorney's fees, and costs of suit. Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and that he have judgement for his debt, attorneys fees and costs of suit and for such other and further relief, both special and general in law and in equity to which he is entitled to receive.

Herein fail not but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand this the 11th day of September, A. D., 192..

O. KENNEDY, J. P.
Precinct No. 4, Limestone County, Texas.
19-26-1-8

H. & T. C.

EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. JUNE 17th.

North bound—

345	From cut-off	1:47 p. m.
15	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:44 p. m.
31	Dallas Ft. Worth	12:50 p. m.
37	Dallas Ft. Worth	5:14 a. m.
17	Dallas Ft. Worth	4:35 a. m.
19	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:55 a. m.

South bound—

346	To cut-off	7:00 a. m.
16	Houston San Antonio	11:45 a. m.
32	From Dallas	10:08 a. m.
38	Austin San nAtonio	12:21 a. m.
18	Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
20	Houston San Antonio	12:16 a. m.

T. & B. V.
North.
No. 8—3:25 p. m.
South.
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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Babies In Sells-Floto Menagerie Never Encounter Fasting Days

The babies of the menageries "cat" colony with the Sells-Floto circus, coming to Mexia Friday, October 5th, have the laugh on the grown-ups of their groups on Sundays, for the feed bag for adult lions, leopards, tigers, jaguars and pumas is conspicuous by its absence on the day of rest.

The big "cats" are heavy meat eaters, and the animal men have discovered that overfeeding leads to distemper and other ailments. So, it has long been ordained that one day each week will be fasting day for them. But the babies of the "cat" dens never worry. Their mothers see that they are not done out of their Sunday dinners.

Scores of interesting wild animals will be on view, when the Sells-Floto street parade—the largest in the world this year—passes in review through the business section of the city on circus day forenoon.

Patterson's Column

YESTERDAY THE writer took
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DISCUSSING THE school and
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MR. ADAIR who himself
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INTERESTED IN our local schools
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AND HE idea occurred to us
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THAT A cash prize presented
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AND DIVIDED on a basis fair
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TO EVERY pupil in EVERY
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SCHOOL IN Mexia for the
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BEST ARTICLE written wholly
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A SOMEWHAT greater interest in
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COMMUNITY SPIRIT
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SO READ this column from day
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TO DAY for Patterson (the
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PROPRIETOR of The Busy Little
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JEWELRY STORE right here in
* * *
MEXIA) IS going to give away
* * *
SOME REAL money and some
* * *
BRIGHT PUPIL will have
* * *
CHRISTMAS MONEY to spend.
* * *
I THANK you.
* * *
—Patterson.

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The cottage formerly situated South of the Mrs. Elmore Ross home on East Main street, has been removed to the lot South of the building known as Miss Laura Rogers' music rooms, on North Bonham street.

Iceland is planning an airplane passenger and mail service to link it with Denmark by way of Scotland and England.

Letters from People

LET'S REASON TOGETHER

During the past few months there has been an unusual amount of discussion regarding Sunday amusements and pressure been brought to bear against the attending of Sunday base ball, picture shows, and other forms of amusements that children partake of. These subjects are being discussed and commented upon at various church councils and from the pulpit, which I think is well enough in its place, but what right has one to bring pressure to bear against these forms of amusement when nothing better is being provided by the Christian people of the town for the uplifting of it's boys and girls.

Is there a single church service being held among the leading church organizations in the afternoon to provide diversion for the youngsters, and are the Christian people of Mexia providing a supervised playground where the children may gather and enjoy themselves without the possibility of their coming together and being brought into contact with the objectionable (may I not say obscene) elements of society?

What are mothers to do with their children? Are we to shut them up like hot-house plants in order to keep them from associating with children whose little hearts are, in their tender years, polluted with thoughts and words that would make a worldly man or woman blush with shame? Is it fair to the child to bring the pressure of the rod upon their tender flesh, by way of correction, for the things that are allowed to go on unheeded by the majority of the people (Most of whom are Christians) on our streets every day?

Remember the cemetery experience! If those children had been provided with wholesome amusement they would not have been in the place of the sacred dead at that time. God has given the children an abundance of energy to urge them on to accomplishments in life, and who is to blame if this energy is permitted to express itsself in (what we self-righteous grown-ups are pleased to call) hideous crimes, disgraceful conduct, etc? I think it is high time that the adult population of Mexia should arouse themselves from their lethargy and put forth some effort for the salvation of the children in their midst, for God will not hold us guiltless; and who of us can stand before His bar of Justice and say: "When did I fail to minister unto Thee, Lord?" when we have so grievously neglected the most precious of His creations, the little child.

I speak from my very heart, people of Mexia. I, a stranger in your midst, have had experiences with my children since I have been here that causes me to shudder, and I wonder if there are not other mothers whose hearts are beating in sympathy with mine.

If I were not willing to give the very best that I have, in time, experience and my share of the means to provide for the children I should have remained silent, but I have done welfare work, Parent-Teacher work, etc., and know what tremendous good can be accomplished with such small outlay of money that it seems a crime in your fast growing city, that these conditions should not be given prime importance. "Mexia will need them later" is well said: Let's do our part NOW in making them worth while.

Yours for a better Mexia.
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D. PRICKETT'S SHOE SHOP

Americans In Quake Zone Who Survived Japanese Disaster Will Be Assisted By Funds Raised In Red Cross Drive

Among the hundreds of thousands of homeless, hungry refugees in Japan's earthquake area there are many foreigners and among them numerous Americans. Perhaps no group was better represented in the stricken districts than the American Missionary, some of whom are shown in the above photograph conducting a Bible meeting in one of the streets of Tokio.

It is for the immediate relief of the suffering that the American Red Cross, which was designated by President Coolidge as the channel through which sympathetic Americans might contribute to them, has issued a call to the people of the United States, urging them not to relax in their efforts. The original minimum quota of $5,000,000 set by the Red Cross when the first cable dispatches were received from Japan was found early in the campaign, or as soon as more complete details were received, to be inadequate for the tremendous task of relief, and John Barton Payne, chairman of the Red Cross, and Secretary of Commerce Hoover, who is associated with him on the executive committee of the organization, have declared that the intense suffering and distress of the affected people justifies redoubled efforts to rush relief to them.

In an official statement issued by them they emphasize the fact that while property losses might have been somewhat exaggerated in the earlier reports there could be no question that the human suffering is most intense, with the many thousands of injured and sick, the great number of orphans and a population almost entirely without shelter. President Coolidge announced after advices he received from his representatives in Japan, that he believed there was a necessity for continued effort to increase America's contributions.

Because of America's prompt response in other great disasters, this country was the first toward which Japan looked for help. Red Cross officials have implicit faith that her appeal will meet with the same generous sympathy that was displayed in feeding the victims of the great Russian famine.

Emphasis has been placed by Chairman Payne on the fact that every cent of the money collected for Japanese relief will be spent for just that purpose. None of it will be diverted to the Red Cross funds for other uses, and there will be none of the usual expense involved in sending personnel to the stricken area. The fund will be administered by a volunteer committee of substantial business men.

Muscle Shoals Project Believed Fallen Through

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Officials believe that Henry Ford's Muscle Shoals project has fallen through as the result of the sale by the War Department of the Gorgas power plant to the Alabama Power company. The Gorgas plant included in Ford's bid and Ford said he would not make the bid without this plant. Ford failed to reply to the request by President Coolidge that he eliminate the Gorgas plant from his offer. Secretary Weeks received a telegram from W. B. Mayo, Ford's chief engineer, expressing surprise at the sale.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS

Brammer, C. S.
Boryles.
Bingham, J. H.
Berry, Mrs. Clara.
Big Four Brokerage Co.
Carroll, J. B.
Cone, Ben F. (2)
Harris, G. M.
Hellers, Tom.
McDonald, Mrs L. W.
Morris, Marie.
Machen, C. H., Mayor.
McDaniel, H. A.
Miller, Mr.
Peltz, Sam (3)
Parks, F. S.
Overstreet, W.
Richardson, G. E.
Skinner, F. E.
Smith, Nathaniel.
Watson,E., Mayor.
Waldon, Rev. T. V.

Just over from Belgium and the capitals of continental Europe with a lot of new laughs and some of the most unusual riding stunts we've looked at in years—that Joe Hodgini, equestrain comic, star of the Sells-Floto circus and Buffalo Bill's Wild West, coming to Mexia Friday, Oct. 5th with his family of finished bareback artists. With the Joe Hodginis are the Hobsons and the Alberts, riding troupes, featuring Don Alberto, Homer and little Herberta Hobson, and they do things that have not been seen to date under the American big tops. Seeking for something new this season, Sells-Floto has combed the far places, and it has, it is claimed, brought home the bacon. Spain, little Belgium and England have sent over their best, and, with the American riding stars in its line-up, Sells-Floto's rings are filled with interesting, amusing equestrian feats. Then, too, with its famous forty-eight horse act from Budapeth, the second largest show on earth has reason to boast of its importations for the year. Acrobatic and aerial cats, too, come from abroad, to say nothing of wire dancers from South America.

RUHR AND RHINE

ever, have adopted a solemn vow of unity with the Reich and it is learned the Government, contrary to other reports is breathing more easily regarding the threatened Bavarian outbreak. Through a clever ruse under guise of troop maneuvers, the Government has succeeded in getting all Bavarian Reischwehr troops into Wurtemberg and Baden, leaving only trusted Saxon soldiers in Bavaria.

The fear previously had existed that the Reichswehr might be induced to join the various Bavarian "fighting bands" in a coup against the Berlin Government.

Also the fact that Minister Sollman is venturing to speak at Nurenberg today, in the heart of the stronghold of the German Fascisti was interpreted to show that the Government feels it can defy the reactionary groups who have openly declared their readiness to march northward and overthrow the Government in Berlin.

WALTON ISSUES

the executive ban according to the Governor.

The Governors drastic order to the adjutant general headed "military order," was:

"WHEREAS, a certain pretended call was issued by one W. D. McBee and others, addressed to certain members of the House of Representatives of this State which in substance calls upon certain members to meet at the Capitol building at Oklahoma City at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, Sept. 26, 1923, which said proposed meeting would be an unlawful assemble, dominated and controlled by the so-called invisible empire, commonly known as the Ku Klu Klan, and

"WHEREAS, said pretended call is without authority of law and issued for the purpose of aiding and abetting the cause of the so-called invisible empire or the Ku Klux Klan, and

"WHEREAS, the State of Oklahoma is now under martial law for the purpose of protecting the people of the said State from the rule of the said so-called invisible empire and to obtain evidence for its extermination, and

"WHEREAS, by proclamation of the Governor of this State the said invisible empire or Ku Klux Klan was declared to be an enemy of the sovereign State of Oklahoma and the evidence adduced before the military courts show that it has taken over the political government in many cities and counties, and as an organization has murdered, whipped, beaten, flogged and outraged many citizens of this State, and by said proclamation, all persons were forbidden to aid or abet in any manner the carrying out of the purposes of haid invisible empire, commonly known as the Ku Klux Klan, and

"WHEREAS, the proposed meeting of the said certain members of the House of Representatives unlawfully so as aforesaid, is in defiance and violation of the statutes of the State of Oklahoma, now under military law, and also contrary to the constitution and laws of Oklahoma and is an attempt to break the peace of the State.

"Now, therefore, I. J. C. Walton, Governor of the State of Oklahoma and commander-in-chief of the military forces of said State, hereby command, order and direct you as adjutant general of said State to disperse said unlawful assembly and prevent absolutely the proposed meeting at 12 o'clock noon, Sept. 26, 1923, at the Capitol at Oklahoma City or at any other time or place in the State of Oklahoma after the date of this order and you will use all the military forces of the State if necessary for such purposes. To carry out this order you will use absolutely whatever and all force of arms necessary thereunto.

"The citizens soldiers of this State between the ages of 21 and 45 years are commanded and ordered to hold themselves in readiness with such arms as they may possess or can obtain to come to the assistance of the sovereign State of Oklahoma when directed so to do by the Governor of this State as the commander-in-chief of its military forces or by the adjutant general.

"You as adjutant general will issue all supplemental orders and directions for the carrying out of this order and to protect the lives and property of the citizens of Oklahoma who are not aiding and abetting said pretended assembly or otherwise giving aid and comfort to the said invisible empire or Ku Klux Klan.

"J. C. WALTON,
"Governor of Oklahoma."

No indication as to the course of action to be pursued by the legislators agitating for a special session of the House could be learned. "Legislative headquarters is maintaining silence," W. D. McBee, leader of the movement, declared when reached early today.

"All of the members favoring a special sesison of the house are not in town."

Several will not arrive here until Wednesday morning and until that time there will be no statement from legislative headquarters, he stated.

"However," he continued, "it would be a poor class of citizenship who would fai to do their duty because the Governor issues bombastic statement."

Additional troops promised by the Governor to be on the ground at the Capitol Wednesday had not appeared early today. No information regarding troop movement was advanced by military authorities or the Governor.

ALL NIGHT LONG

FT. WORTH, Sept. 25.—Fans stood in line all night to get tickets to the game and newsboys reaped a harvest by selling their places in the long line for sums ranging from $5 to $15.

Two hundred New Orleans fans, and two jazz bands accompanied the Southern loop champions to Ft. Worth.

Local News

Guy Deaper of Waco was in Mexia Monday.

T. J. Herring of Waco was in Mexia Monday.

E. P. Moore of Waco was in Mexia Monday.

A. L. Hollister is in Corsicana on business.

S. C. Henley of Waco was in Mexia Monday on business.

Miss Ouida Wildman was a visitor in Corsicana Tuesday.

Tom Smith of Tehuacana was in the city shopping Tuesday.

Cliff Cain of Harlin was in Mexia visiting a few days with his wife.

B. B. Simmonds and Howard Mace were in court in Groesbeck Monday.

Miss Jessie Alma returned from Port Arthur where she spent a month's vacation.

Mrs. Vance Means left Monday for Little Rock, Ark., where she will visit her mother.

Miss Frances Corley left Monday for Dallas where she will attend S. M. U. this year.

A. W. Hills of Dallas was in town Monday on business and shaking hands with friends.

Mrs. Ben F. Stollenwerck motored to Terrell Tuesday and will visit there for about ten days.

Mrs. E. M. Heffron of Duncan, Oklahoma, arrived Monday to visit with her mother, Mrs. E. H. Peyton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. See of Tonkawa, Oklahoma, are visiting their daughter Mrs. Hugh Alspur for a few days.

Latvia's extensive peat deposits will be used as fuel in a station that will provide electric light and power for Ligau.

Built about the same time as Rome but much larger, the ruins of a city have been discovered buried in the jungles of Ceylon by explorers.

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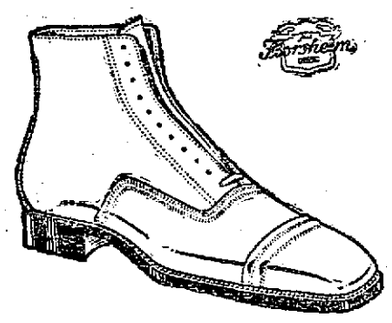

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